

All Dixon Stores Begin Staying Open Evenings Tonight
DIXON EVENING TELEGRAPH

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DETROIT BRANCH POSTOFFICE WAS ROBBED IN NIGHT

Registered Mail Of Uncertain Value, and Stamps Stolen

Detroit, Dec. 13—(AP)—Drilling a hole through 18 inches of brick and mortar, thieves last night stole registered mail of undetermined value and \$19,000 in postage stamps from the Alfred Street branch post-office.

Police who investigated the robbery said they could find no evidence of forcible entrance to the building and assumed that one of the robbers had concealed himself in the building when it was closed for the night. The theft was discovered by a clerk who opened the office this morning.

The loot, postoffice authorities said, included 58 pieces of registered mail.

Loot Might Be \$58,000 John B. Stackpole, Superintendent of Mails, said the value of the registered mail could run as high as \$58,000, as a maximum of \$1,000 might be in each envelope. He did not believe the loss would reach half that amount, however.

The police theory was that several men were admitted to the building some time during the night. A hole large enough to admit a small man was broken through the rear of the office vault. Through this, officials said, one of the thieves entered and passed out the loot.

The Alfred Street station is located just east of Woodward Avenue, the city's main thoroughfare, and less than a mile north of the downtown shopping district. Through it is cleared the mail from hundreds of smaller business houses and also a number of motorcar salesrooms and professional men.

Judge Directed Verdict Finding Lee Center Woman Sane

A jury of six members, one of which number was a physician, reported to Judge Frank Sheehan in the Circuit Court room yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, and returned a directed verdict in which Mrs. Lillie E. Krens of Lee Center township was found to be sane. The case had been appealed from the county court, where her husband, George T. Krens had filed insanity charges.

Ernest J. McCabe, returned Sunday evening from Joplin Mo., appeared before Judge Sheehan yesterday afternoon to be arraigned on the indictment charging burglary and larceny, which was returned by the September grand jury. He pleaded not guilty to the charge and while he stated he had not retained counsel, he expected to have an attorney in a short time. His bond was set at \$5,000, in default of which he was returned to the county jail.

Wallace Berry, movie actor, is a lieutenant commander in the United States naval reserve force and has more than 1000 flying hours to his credit.

the Weather

Today's Almanac December 13 1700-Heinrich Heine, German poet, born 1844-first emigrant to California in covered wagon reach Sutter's Fort 1933-Beauty contest winners return from California on foot

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 13, 1933 (By The Associated Press)

For Chicago and Vicinity—Unsettled, possibly light snow early tonight, colder tonight, lowest temperature near 15; partly cloudy Thursday; moderate easterly winds becoming northwest tonight.

Illinois—Possibly rain in extreme south and light snow in central and north portions tonight; somewhat colder in central and north tonight; Thursday partly cloudy.

Illinois—Unsettled, probably light snow in east portion tonight and in west portion Thursday afternoon; somewhat colder in east and south portions tonight; rising temperature in west portion Thursday.

Iowa—Unsettled tonight and Thursday; somewhat colder tonight; rising temperature in north portion Thursday.

Thursday—Sun rises at 7:21 A. M.; sets at 4:28 P. M.

The Story of Christmas



And Herod called his chief priests and his scribes before him and demanded of them where the Christ Child should be born. And they said, In Bethlehem of Judea, as written by the prophet.

9 SHOPPING DAYS until CHRISTMAS

KANSAS SLAYER CONFESSED AND WAS GIVEN LIFE

Cowboy Admits Death of Three: Killed in Fits of Anger

Lansing, Kas., Dec. 13—(AP)—Jack W. Sodom, slayer of two men and a woman in outbursts of anger, was convicted 3964 in the state penitentiary here today, his swift flare of temper matched by the swiftness of Kansas justice.

The 26-year-old cowboy was arrested Sunday near Jay, Okla., after thousands of persons had joined in a search for the bodies of two of his victims, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Pritchard, of Wichita, Kas. Late yesterday he was rushed from the state reformatory at Hutchinson, where he had been taken for safekeeping, to Wichita, where he pleaded guilty to the murder of Pritchard, and was sentenced to life imprisonment.

In 20 Minutes The proceedings required only 20 minutes, and in a few more minutes he was enroute to Lansing.

Threats of prosecution because he cashed a forged check for \$21.40 at a store operated by Pritchard resulted in the slaying of the couple. He said he entered a motor car with the Pritchards at Wichita, Nov. 23 killed the merchant not far from the city and then compelled Mrs. Pritchard to drive until she collapsed near Wellington, Kas. There he killed her.

He hid the woman's body in a culvert near Bison, Okla., and Pritchard's near El Reno, Okla. Previously Sodom had been charged with the murder of Emory Large, 56, a fellow ranch worker near Meade, Kas. He told officers a quarrel during a card game had prompted him to slay Large.

Try Solitary to Make Bates Tell Where Ransom Is

Washington, Dec. 13—(AP)—Assistant Attorney General Joseph B. Keenan said today that Alfred Bates, one of the Urschel kidnapers, was being held in solitary confinement at Leavenworth penitentiary in an effort to obtain from him the location of \$100,000 of the ransom money.

Keenan said Bates already has been in solitary confinement for about six weeks but "hasn't talked yet that I have heard of." Bates was one of several notorious gangsters, including George "Machine Gun" Kelly, involved in the kidnapping of the rich Oklahoma oil man, Charles Urschel. Since the trial and conviction of the kidnapers, Federal agents have been seeking to recover money Urschel paid for his release.

EXPECT TAKEN CHECK

London, Dec. 13—(AP)—A check for \$7,500,000 is expected to be handed over to the United States in Washington Friday by Great Britain as a token payment on its war debts, it was authoritatively stated here today.

Santa Claus Has Overcome Politics and Congress and is Back on Job of Keeping Centuries-old Myth Alive

Santa Claus, Ind., Dec. 13—(AP)—Having overcome both politics and Congress, Santa Claus is back again at the big job of keeping alive in the minds of the tots of the world a myth that is centuries old.

Letters from Palestine, Egypt, the Philippines, Canada, Australia, England and most of the United States again have swamped Postmaster James Martin, first assistant to old Saint Nick.

It is with increased happiness that Martin and the dozen families that reside in this quaint village in

YOUTH, 21, AND GIRL TAKEN FOR DEATH OF THREE

Young Cotton Picker Admits Killings in Okla. Hold-up

Tuloga, Okla., Dec. 13—(AP)—A 21-year-old cotton picker and his girl friend, seized by a single captor after the killing of three persons in a county store hold-up, were held secretly today.

"The boy admitted it," said Sheriff C. C. Jones upon his return here early today, some hours after the couple, Fred Overstreet, and 18-year-old Cleo Owens, had been taken quietly from the jail by the Sheriff and other officers.

The Sheriff said the two "are not held here now" and refused to tell where they were taken, other than that it was a "safe place." "There is no mob trouble," he added. "We took them out and found the pistol."

Previous reports were to the effect that "strong talk" at Fay following the shooting there of Henry Weiser, 52-year-old storekeeper; his wife, 48, and Tom Turnise, 55, a pedestrian, had caused the officers to take their prisoners away. The threats did not materialize into a show of violence, however.

Ralph Gilchrist, 27-year-old County Attorney, captured Overstreet and the girl in a plum thicket near Fay yesterday afternoon after he had traced footprints through the sandy soil.

Armed with a rifle, Gilchrist took the couple into custody without a fight while posses were searching nearby.

ENRIGHT WILL IS FILED FOR PROBATE TODAY

Relatives of Late Insurance Agent Will Receive Bequests

The will of the late John F. Enright, who passed away Sunday, Dec. 3, was filed in the County Court this morning by Attorney John J. Armstrong. The instrument was executed January 27, 1933 and names Attorney Armstrong as executor. Many relatives of the deceased are included in the will to receive cash bequests.

The will provides that all just debts and funeral expenses shall first be paid after which the following bequests are made: John Arthur Carroll of Stockton, Ill., \$500; Helen Clancy, Charlotte, N. Y., a cousin, \$300; Eugene Enright, West Allis, Wis., nephew, \$1000; Hattie Marlow Morell Hillier, N. Y., niece, \$500; Mary Marlow O'Brien, Rochester, N. Y., niece, \$300; Frank Marlow, Rochester, N. Y., nephew, \$300; Maurice Marlow, Rochester, N. Y., nephew, \$200; Margaret Marlow Cornish, Rochester, N. Y., niece, \$200; Madeleine Marlow, Rochester, N. Y., niece, \$200; Thomas Marlow, Rochester, N. Y., nephew, \$100; William Marlow, Rochester, N. Y., nephew, \$100.

The remainder of the estate, the will provides shall be divided equally between Harold W. Enright, of Warren, Ill., a nephew and Andrew L. Carroll, of Dixon.

Upper Atlantic Seaboard is Cold Spot of Country

BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS A strip along the upper Atlantic seaboard was the cold spot today on the nation's weather map.

Fifteen degree temperatures were reported in Pennsylvania and New York and the National Capital shivered as the thermometer dipped to 18 degrees. Pittsburgh had a low of 14 at 3 A. M. and New York City's minimum was 15.

Snow was falling in the Great Lakes region and the mercury tumbled to 15 at Cleveland, Chicago reported a reading of 24, Cincinnati 20, Louisville 32 and Evansville 23.

The remainder of the country enjoyed comparatively mild weather. In the south light rains fell in some sections. Jacksonville, Fla., recorded a low of 65, Charles 44, Memphis 36, and Little Rock 35.

Dallas in the southwest had a low of 37 while Wichita, Kansas, had a minimum of 29. Denver's low was 46.

Former Dixon Man Died In the West

Mrs. E. H. Rickard late yesterday received a telegram announcing the death of her brother, Comley P. Williams, a former resident of Dixon, at Arcadia, Calif., Monday night. No further particulars were given in the message and Mrs. Rickard is awaiting a letter. The deceased had many friends in this community who will mourn his passing.

By auto road, it is 3265 miles to San Francisco from New York; over the air route it is only 2568 miles.

"—and Leave Them at The Telegraph Please!



Jovial old Santa has an attentive ear for every youngster's wishes, but he'll never get around unless he's given a lot of help. That's the reason for the Goodfellows' fund. Your contribution will brighten Christmas for some boy or girl who might otherwise be overlooked. It's growing late. Help now!

Bror Peterson's Generosity Isn't To Be Sneezed At

Chicago, Dec. 3—(AP)—Bror H. Peterson's generosity is not to be sneezed at, the police say.

As they heard the story he gives \$500 to every woman he marries. Somehow Mr. Peterson, who weighs 220 pounds, managed between Nov. 1 and Nov. 25 to marry four women, without the formality of getting any divorces the police said, telling each the same story. "It was a true story too" said Mr. Peterson as he sat in a Detective Bureau cell last night. "My mother died in Sweden last year and left a large estate. It all goes to me, but in the will it said I had to bring back a wife. I married these girls looking for the right one and decided pretty quick that I didn't want to take Madeleine or Loretta or Mabel with me to claim the old ancestral estates. But Lydia, Ah, there's a girl."

But the three cases of alleged bigamy were not directly responsible for Mr. Peterson's presence in a cell. The police said it was his custom of giving a big wedding party for every bride, and then failing to pay for the supplies.

Mrs. Mabel Pagnino Peterson, one of the brides, said 104 guests attended a party to celebrate their proposed departure for Sweden, and that so far as she knew nobody had paid the bill.

"What a man he was" she added. "He gave me a \$500 wedding present. Of course it was just a promissory note, but he was thoughtful."

Mr. Peterson was asked about this. "I give every wife I ever marry \$500" he replied.

Japanese Fishing Boat is Burned

Oakland, Cal., Dec. 13—(AP)—The Oakland Tribune said today a ship which exploded and burned off Point Pinos, 85 miles south of San Francisco last night, was the Japanese Abalone fishing boat, Utah, and that her captain and crew escaped injury by taking to a motor tender just before the blast and made their way to Monterey this morning.

Previous reports had indicated the ship might have been an oil tanker, but all larger vessels known to have been in that vicinity at the time of the explosion were reportedly accounted for.

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HOLD ALLEGED MEMBER OF SAN JOSE LYNCH MOB

Will Be Prosecuted: Governor Promises Pardon at Once

San Jose, Calif., Dec. 13—(AP)—With a promise of a pardon for the defendant from Governor James Rolph, Jr., authorities here today pushed plans to prosecute Anthony Cataldi, 18, on a charge of violating the state lynching law by participating in the mob which hung the kidnapper-slayers of Broke Hart.

Cataldi was arrested on information furnished by A. L. Wirt and Ellis O. Jones, representatives of the Civil Liberties Union which demanded prosecution of the mob leaders.

In furnishing the information which led to Cataldi's arrest yesterday, Wirt and Jones produced newspaper photographs and statements credited to the youth indicating he was one of the leaders of the mob which stormed the county jail here Sunday night Nov. 26 and seized Thomas Thurmond and John Holmes. These two were hanged from trees in St. James park across the street from the jail.

Sheriff William J. Emig said the arrest of Cataldi was a move to hold him until his case is presented to the grand jury. The Sheriff added that other alleged leaders of the mob probably would be arrested.

State law provides a penalty of from one to 20 years in prison. Governor Rolph, who condoned the lynching, said he had not changed his previously announced intention to pardon anyone convicted of participation.

Ten words make up 25 per cent of the ordinary speech; they are "the, of, and, to, a, in, that, it, is, I."

Terse Items Of News Gathered In Dixon During Day

CHIMNEY BURNS OUT

The fire department was summoned to the Frank Foreman residence, 915 Third street last evening where a chimney was burning out. There was no damage to the property.

DIXONITE HONORED

J. Frank Bennett of the Reynolds' Wire Co. of this city was elected a director of the Illinois Manufacturers' Assn. at its meeting in Chicago yesterday.

BOWLING THIS EVE

The schedule of games in the Classic Bowling League this evening at the Recreation Alleys is as follows: 7 P. M.: Phillips 66 vs. None Such and Budweisers vs. Beier Loafers; 9 P. M.: Walnut Grove vs. Quality Cleaners and Scott's vs. I. N. U. Co.

RABBIT BREEDER'S MEET

The Rock River Rabbit & Fur Breeders Association will hold its regular monthly meeting at 7:45 P. M. Friday at the home of E. L. Moss, Jaycee Ave. and 9th street. Members are urged to be present.

BEG YOUR PARDON

The Telegraph was in error in stating that the scene of Monday morning's fire on Galena avenue was the Milton A. Becker residence. The house is owned by Mr. and Mrs. George Walters, with whom Mr. Becker has rooms.

LICENSED TO WED

The following marriage licenses have been issued by County Clerk Fred G. Dimick: Glenn J. Auman of Lincoln, Neb., and Miss Eldora M. A. Kuhlmeier of Chicago; Roy W. Haefer of LaMoille and Miss Frieda K. Zimmerman of Compton; Harold Garrison and Miss Evelyn Terney, both of Sterling; Joseph C. Engelbrecht of Brooklyn town.

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PROMISE MADE DURING LAST CAMPAIGN KEPT

State's Attorney Edw. Jones Returns One Fifth of Pay

At this morning's session of the County Board of Supervisors, Chairman Walter Ortigsen read a communication from State's Attorney Edward Jones. Members of the board discussed the contents briefly and then asked the State's Attorney to appear before the board to assist in effecting a suitable plan. The communication was as follows:

"In accordance with statements made by members of the Lee County Democratic Central Committee during my campaign for State's Attorney in 1932, I am at this time returning to Lee county taxpayers, twenty per cent of the salary which I earned during 1933. The amount which I am returning is \$900.00, or one-fifth of my salary.

"There are several ways in which this money could be returned to the taxpayers. At the first glance it would appear that to refund it to the County Treasurer would be the regular way. Upon consideration, however, the effect of such an action would be inconsequential to the taxpayers, who are the real parties in interest. I have selected that which I think is a much better method of returning this portion of my salary. I believe, inasmuch as I have earned every penny of this money, that I should have the right to determine in

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GREAT FESTIVAL HERE YESTERDAY BOOMS BUSINESS

Holiday Season Is Given Impetus By Santa's Entertainers

Sponsored by the retail merchants division of the Chamber of Commerce the Stansbery Enterprises of Ft. Dodge, Iowa, assisted by some fine local talent enlisted and ably directed by Mrs. Myrtle Rice Bishop, yesterday afternoon and evening presented a Christmas festival in Dixon which has never before been equaled here and which entertained a crowd of children and grownups that rivaled throngs of any circus day in size. True holiday spirit prevailed.

Starting with a big parade in which Santa Claus rose in the chimney of his log cabin, Miss Mary Christmas, fairies and fantastic Mardi Gras figures appeared, and with music along the line of march furnished by the Dixon state hospital and the Dixon Junior bands, the festivities were off to a fine start and they continued until 9 o'clock in the evening. During the whole time the Dixon stores were crowded with visitors and shoppers and every participating merchant today acclaimed the festival a tremendous success.

Nothing to be Desired. The producing company left nothing to be desired in the completeness of its presentation and the program broadcast over the company's public speaking system from the G. A. R. hall in the city hall, under Mrs. Bishop's supervision, was excellent. Participating in this program at various times during the afternoon and evening were:

Boys' Band—Russell Mason, director; Girls' Glee Club; Dixon State Hospital Band; Robert Fulmer, Winfield Rawls, Eugene Lehrs, Floyd Smith, Miss Leona Ort, Mrs. Lester Wilhelm and Harry Jones in vocal selections; Mrs. Bishop, Eleanor Sterling, Leon Morton and Marie Worley, pianists; Russell Mason, saxophone solos; Bud and Bud xylophonists; Bradley Moll, speaker, and Paul Brookner and his orchestra.

Miss Alice Street, president of the Girls' Club of the senior class of the Dixon high school, was Miss Mary Christmas; little Annette Billig was Little Red Riding Hood and fairies were: Martha Mosher, Shirley Wedlake, Perry Rhoads, Patricia Ann Moore, Mary Brophy and Joyce Osburn.

Earth Quite Possibly Only Place in Universe Where Life Can Exist

Noted Astronomer Declared Today

Washington, Dec. 13—(AP)—No one has ever seen Venus itself, but only the perpetual clouds that surround it. Above this cloud layer, however, is a layer of carbon dioxide gas half a mile thick. This may indicate that plant life can exist on Venus, since plants live on carbon dioxide.

The surface of Venus probably is warmer than the earth, Dr. Adams said, but above the clouds it has a "stratosphere" resembling our own, with a temperature of 25 degrees below zero.

No sign of oxygen, necessary to life as we know it on earth, has been found in the atmosphere of either Venus or Mars. A visitor from the earth would need to take his own oxygen supply. Venus may, however, have oxygen and water vapor, also essential to life, below the clouds.

ADMINISTRATION OF LEE CO. CWA MET CRITICISM

Supervisors Voice Opinions Concerning Selection of Men

The Lee county board of supervisors got down to serious work at their session yesterday afternoon and a considerable amount of business was transacted in a short time, while other matters were presented to be given serious thought before the close of the annual December meeting. Members of the board were strongly opposed to the selection of single men in several townships on Civil Works Administration projects, where married men with families are receiving aid and are anxious to work.

Supervisor Gilbert P. Finch of Amboy township was the most emphatic in expressing himself and said:

"From the manner in which the plan is being handled in my township, where a large percentage of the men working are single, I am of the opinion that there was a great deal of prevarication done when the application cards were made out. In Amboy township there are plenty of men with families who are anxious to work and a large percentage of those who have been put to work are single men. The truth must have been handled carefully in the filing of the applications for positions somewhere."

Cards Not Public

Supervisor D. H. Spencer informed the board that the application cards were not public property, open for inspection, according to his understanding of the regulations, and added that he had been informed that a meeting had been called for the purpose of establishing a satisfactory working program. He explained that the first 300 men to be placed at work were taken from the relief roll after which ex-soldiers with families were given the next preference, then coming a third class of men with families who have been unemployed for the longest period; the fourth classification being along the same classification, and the fifth and final, the single men. In response to a question, Supervisor Spencer admitted that the chances for a single man securing work was very slight and practically an impossibility. The Dixon supervisor admitted that numerous complaints had been voiced from all sections of the county.

Supervisor Leon Hart of Palmyra township told the board that in one instance in his township, three men from one family had been put to work, the youngest of these being a 17 year old boy who is unmarried.

Complaint From Nachusa

Supervisor Carl Spangler of Nachusa township complained that two married men with families of seven children were unable to secure employment on the CWA projects, both of whom were residents of the township, while men without families from another township, one of whom was in the county jail recently had been sent to Nachusa township to fill out the quota of men used on the projects.

Chairman Walter Ortigsen opened the debate when he inquired if all men who had been furnished employment were working. In his township, he cited one instance where employment was furnished and the recipient went to the extent of writing a letter to Governor Henry Horner at Springfield, in which he expressed his contempt for the employment plan. Two of the supervisors reported that men who had been furnished employment on the numerous projects had been recent inmates of the county jail.

D-5000 Road Houses

Members of the board expressed their feelings relative to the conduct of road houses in the vicinity of Dixon and throughout the county, where in some instances, they were told whiskey and other liquors were being sold without license. Assistant Supervisor William Rose of Dixon introduced the road house complaint, when he suggested that some action be taken at this session of the board to regulate these places. He explained that at the present time there was no state or federal law in effect but he favored some plan being taken to regulate these places when a law was effective.

"I recently listened to a talk in which a Lee county judge made the statement in which he said that he was strictly opposed to the licensing of any road house in Lee or any other county." Supervisor Charles Ramsdell of China township added, then said: "I intend to vote that same conviction at any time that a licensing of road houses in Lee county comes before this board."

Supervisor Spencer of Dixon told the board that he favored the adoption of a resolution which would provide a reasonable closing hour for all road houses, then said: "If this board has the legal right to license these places, it most certainly has the right to regulate them and to see that they are closed at a reasonable hour."

The board was informed that the Sheriff's office had received a great deal of complaint and had been called to one road house in particular several times in the early morning hours where drunken

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# SOCIETY

## The Social CALENDAR

**Wednesday**  
Reading Club—Mrs. George Van Nuy, 204 Chamberlain street.  
Harmon Unit—Mrs. J. C. Wadsworth, South Dixon.  
American Legion Auxiliary—Leighton Hall.  
Unity Guild, Mrs. C. E. Herrick, 810 Second Street.  
Mother Singers—Dixon High School.  
Ideal Club—Mrs. Jake Wahnke, 221 Lincoln Way.  
Book Review—Mrs. H. U. Bardwell, 612 E. Second street.

**Thursday**  
Nachusa Missionary Society—At Nachusa church.  
M. E. Mother's Auxiliary—Mrs. R. H. Campbell, 835 N. Galena ave.  
Nachusa Reading Circle—Miss Biederbeck, Nachusa Orphanage School.  
St. James Missionary Soc.—Mrs. Leon Burkett.  
Baptist Missionary Society—Mrs. C. J. McLean, 207 East Boyd street.  
Twentieth Century Literary Club—Mrs. E. B. Ryan, 523 W. Third street.  
Cly Aly Club—Mrs. Wm. Slithower, 312 Douglas avenue.  
Palmyra Unit—Mrs. Keith Swartz, Palmyra.  
R. N. A. Election—Woodmen hall.  
St. Mary's PTA—At school.  
D. U. V.—G. A. R. hall.  
Sewing Unit—Nurses Home.  
Unity Guild—Mrs. Charles Herrick, 810 Second St.  
W. M. S.—St. Paul's Lutheran Church.

**Friday**  
W. C. T. U.—Miss Callie Morgan, 24 E. Chamberlain street.  
Elks Ladies—Elks Club.  
Lee County Chapter War Mothers—Palmyra Hall.

**Friday, Dec. 15th**  
Golden Rule Class Christmas Party—St. Paul's Lutheran church.  
Presbyterian Missionary—Mrs. E. B. Raymond, 421 N. Dement Ave.

(Call Mrs. E. E. Holdridge at No. 5 for Society items.)

## Tested RECIPES

**By MRS. ALEXANDER GEORGE**  
**DINNER SERVING FOUR**

**The Menu**  
Creamed Oysters  
Buttered Spinach  
Relish Gelatin Salad  
Corn Muffins  
Lemon Pie  
Butter  
Coffee

**The Recipes**  
**Creamed Oysters (Serving 4)**  
4 tablespoons butter  
4 tablespoons flour  
1-2 cup cream  
1-2 cups milk  
1-4 teaspoon paprika  
1-4 teaspoon celery salt  
1-2 teaspoon salt  
1 cup small oysters  
Melt butter and add flour. Mix well, add cream and milk and cook slowly until thick, creamy sauce forms. Add rest of ingredients and cook one minute. Serve poured over buttered toast, crackers or in patty shells.

**Relish Gelatin Salad**  
1 package lemon-flavored gelatin mixture.  
2 cups boiling water  
1-2 teaspoon salt  
1 tablespoon sugar  
1 tablespoon lemon juice  
1 cup chopped cabbage  
1-2 cup chopped celery  
1-4 cup chopped olives  
1-4 cup chopped pickles  
1-4 cup chopped pimientos  
Pour water over gelatin mixture, stir until dissolved. Add salt, sugar and lemon juice. Cool and allow to thicken a little. Add to rest of ingredients, pour into shallow mold. Chill until stiff. Cut in squares, serve on lettuce leaves. Top with mayonnaise.

**Lemon Pie**  
1 baked pie shell  
1 cup sugar  
5 tablespoons flour  
1-8 teaspoon salt  
3 egg yolks  
1-3 cup lemon juice  
1 teaspoon grated lemon rind  
1-2 cups water  
3 egg white, beaten  
1-3 cup confectioner's sugar  
Blend cup of sugar with flour and salt. Add yolks and mix well. Add lemon juice, rind and water. Cook in double boiler until filling becomes thick and creamy. Stir frequently. Beat whites, add confectioner's sugar, and beat until creamy. Add 1-3 of this mixture to lemon filling. Mix lightly. Pour into pie shell, spread with remaining egg white mixture. Bake 10 minutes in slow oven.

## Giving, When It Hurts Personally, Is What Counts

(By Olive Roberts Barton)  
In the moving picture "Little Women," the four March girls carry their Christmas breakfast in hot covered dishes, to the poor family nearby.  
Civil war-time appetites, young healthy appetites, winter appetites all set for the treat of seldom-seen sausage and pop-overs, yet they gave away the precious food. Your heart broke for them. But when you saw the ghastly room they tramped into, the frozen, pinched children, the mother in bed with a brain new baby, your heart ceased its aching and chanted a carol.  
Their mother suggested it. She knew what a sacrifice she was asking. And yet in the joy of helping needy neighbors, the girls found a compensation that more than made up for a mere lost meal.

**A View of Charity**  
There is a profound lesson in this episode. I wonder how many people who saw it refused to catch the spirit of it, called it old-fashioned, and out of date, and sneered a bit. Very few, I hope. And yet there were some I knew who surveyed it with contemptuous reservation.  
"We don't have 'charity' any more," they were saying in all probability. "People hate charity. It bruises their pride. And all its good for is to create a spirit of magnificence in the giver. Those girls are thinking, 'How grand we are to give up what we want most. See! We are saving human lives.' They are getting a real and personal kick doing something the state or city should be doing in a less degrading way. All private charity is out today, thank heaven, and organized welfare is the word. I shouldn't think of insulting any poor person I know by a private contribution. I've signed a card for so much and—so on—"

**Organized Welfare**  
Organized welfare is without a doubt an humane and indispensable institution. It is keeping millions from starving, clothes on little backs, and coal in the stove. In a dozen ways we are reaching the poor and giving until we think we haven't a nickel left.  
But there are hundreds of corners that organized welfare cannot reach where families caught in the emergency of sickness or death find the allowance too small to cover demands.

**LEE CO. WAR MOTHERS TO MEET**  
The Lee Co. Chapter of American War Mothers, will meet in the American Legion Hall, on Friday afternoon, Dec. 15th.  
There will be a short Christmas program and a grab bag will also be a feature of the afternoon's entertainment, each member is asked to bring a present, not to cost over a dime.  
The members are also asked to donate a few cookies, these will be sent to the Oak Forest hospital.  
The meeting to be called to order at 2:30 o'clock.  
All members are asked to be present as there will some important business to be discussed.

**GUILDS TO HOLD THEIR ANNUAL SALE**  
The annual fancy work and food sales of St. Anne's and St. Agnes' Guilds of St. Luke's Episcopal church will be held in the Warner building on E. First street Saturday.

**Marion Unit Met At Reeser Home**  
The Marion Home Bureau Unit met with Mrs. Ed. Reeser of Walton on last Thursday in an all-day session.  
The lesson on "Bandages" was given in the forenoon by the local leaders. Among the many practical bits of information derived from this lesson was learning how to apply a bandage that will "stay put." At noon a delicious picnic dinner was enjoyed.  
The afternoon meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Reeser and the usual order of business followed. Recreation was conducted by the chairman.  
The December lesson on "Care of Winter Clothing" was given by Mrs. Syverud.

Much important and necessary information regarding "cleaning" of heavy clothing was derived from her talk.  
The election of officers followed and all officers were re-elected for the ensuing year. One new member was added to the roll.  
After the business of the day a social hour was enjoyed, during which a Christmas exchange box proved that even grown-ups enjoy the thrill of opening packages of unknown content. This ended a very full and happy day, as all meetings with Mrs. Reeser prove to be.

The January meeting will be with Mrs. Peter McCoy on the afternoon of January 17, when Mrs. Syverud will give the lesson on "Developing A Healthy Personality Through Mental Hygiene."

**MISS BARTON WILL SPEAK AT GUILD MEET**  
Feature of the meeting of St. Agnes' Guild of St. Luke's Episcopal church, to be held Friday evening at the home of Mrs. Elmer Reynolds, will be a talk by Miss Esther Barton, talented and charming teacher. Mrs. Reynolds will be assisted in entertaining by Miss Annie Eustace, Mrs. Van Inwegen, Mrs. Lee Dysart and Miss Galla Greig.

**ST. MARY'S PTA TO MEET THURSDAY NIGHT**  
The PTA of St. Mary's parochial school will meet at the school tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. A program will be presented by the pupils of the sixth and seventh grades and a social hour will follow.

## Installation of O. E. S. Officers Friday Evening

Dorothy Chappert, O. E. S., will celebrate the installation of the new elective and appointive officers for the ensuing year at the Masonic Temple Friday at 8:00 P. M. It has been the custom for several years to invite the public to attend this beautiful ceremony. The officers have been visiting similar ceremonies given by the Chapters in all of the surrounding cities and have invited those officers to visit Dixon for this event, without doubt, if the weather permits, there will be visitors here from nearly every city within a radius of 40 or 50 miles.

The officers to be installed are:  
Worthy Matron ..... Lela Bush  
Worthy Patron ..... Charles Bush  
Associate Matron ..... Mildred Beier  
Associate Patron ..... George Beier  
Secretary ..... Mazie Hoberg  
Treasurer ..... Sterling Schrock  
Conductress ..... Florence Bestian  
Associate Conductress ..... Jean Wilson  
Chaplain ..... Frances Schrock  
Marshal ..... Francis Patrick  
Organist ..... Lila Hart  
Ada ..... Mabel Origiesen  
Ruth ..... Rachael Kennedy  
Esther ..... Beulah Tennant  
Martha ..... Edith Schell  
Electa ..... Alma Cross  
Warden ..... Ruth Fuls  
Sentinel ..... James Knox  
The installing officer will be Carrie Coe, installing marshal, Pearl Rickard; installing chaplain, Florence Franks.

The ceremony of installing these various officers is always a very beautiful one and is looked forward to each year by all of the members of the Eastern Star and their friends.

Following the ceremony, all of those in attendance will adjourn to the ball room where the new Worthy Matron and Patron will be hosts to all who wish to dance.

**GREEN AND BROWN FAVORED BY COUNTESS**  
PARIS—(AP)—The Countess Cavadonga, bride of the eldest son of Alfonso XIII of Spain, wore a striking green and brown ensemble at a recent smart luncheon. It combined a slender short-sleeved frock of soft green wool, a jacket of the same fabric, and a waistcoat of brown astrakhan. The jacket was fastened with a green satin bow close to the throat.

**BLACK COSTUMES WORN AT SOCIETY WEDDING**  
PARIS—(AP)—Two of the smartest guests at a recent fashionable wedding wore black. Madame Pierre Fenaille wore a black wool ensemble finished with a belt in two shades of brown to match the sables on her coat. Mrs. Paul Munn's black costume combined a wool frock trimmed in black velvet with a matching jacket trimmed in black matching jacket trimmed in black.

**SEWING UNIT TO MEET THURSDAY**  
The Sewing Unit of the Dixon Woman's Club will meet Thursday at 2:30 at the Nurses Home to sew. The Unit is to meet the third Thursday this month instead of the fourth Thursday because of the holidays. All members are invited to be present.

**FRI-LO-CHA CLASS MEETING CALLED OFF**  
The Fri-Lo-Cha class of the Christian church will not hold their meeting at the church Thursday evening as has been announced previously.

**Stuffed Dates**  
One-half pound dates (about 30), 5 prunes, 1-2 cup pecan nut meats, 4 tablespoons preserved ginger, 4 tablespoons seedless raisins, strained honey.  
Wash dates and remove stones. Wash and steam prunes. Remove pits and put fruit and nuts through food chopper. Add honey to make mixture moist enough to hold together. Fill dates with mixture and roll in granulated sugar.

**Stuffed Prunes**  
One-half pound prunes (about 20), 2 tablespoons finely minced citron, 1 tablespoon candied orange peel, 4 tablespoons broken nut meats, 4 tablespoons seedless raisins, powdered sugar.  
Put nuts and fruit through food chopper. Melt chocolate over hot water and stir into first mixture. Work with a fork until perfectly blended. Pack in a buttered square pan. When firm cut in small oblong blocks and roll in powdered sugar.

**Candy Fruit Cake**  
One-half cup stoned and chopped dates, 4 tablespoons shredded citron, 4 tablespoons each of candied orange and lemon peel, 1-2 cup pecan nut meats, 1-2 cup Brazil nut meats, 2 ounces dipping chocolate, powdered sugar.  
Put nuts and fruit through food chopper. Melt chocolate over hot water and stir into first mixture. Work with a fork until perfectly blended. Pack in a buttered square pan. When firm cut in small oblong blocks and roll in powdered sugar.

## Recipes for Christmas Sweetmeats Now

Candies made with dried fruit are a delicious alternative to the usual Christmas confection. In this, the fifth of her articles on Christmas cooking, Sister Mary tells how to make such inviting "sweetmeats."

**BY SISTER MARY**  
NEA Service Staff Writer  
Nearly everyone has a sweet tooth and during the holiday season it's all too easy to eat too much candy. Although candy is an excellent food when eaten in moderation, too much of it tends to satiate the appetite while furnishing only one body need—fuel.  
Consequently you will find a few confections made with dried fruits delicious and entirely satisfactory to mix with the usual Christmas candies. Dates, figs, raisins, prunes, apricots and peaches all can be used to make inviting "sweetmeats."

To be sure, dried fruits contain a large amount of sugar, but it is a natural sugar in a form which is quickly assimilated. They also contribute some iron and calcium and on account of their chewy structure are an aid to the very essential tooth exercise we hear so much about.

**Syrain Sweets**  
One-half pound figs, 1-2 pound seedless raisins, 1-2 pound nut meats, powdered sugar, 1 tablespoon strained honey, 1 tablespoon lemon juice.  
Wash and pick over the figs and raisins and combine with the nut meats. Put through medium knife of food chopper. Add honey and lemon juice and mix thoroughly. Roll into a sheet about an inch thick on a board sprinkled with powdered sugar. Cut in squares and roll in sugar.

**Spiced Fruit Balls**  
One-half cup pitted prunes, 1-2 cup pitted dates, 1 cup seedless raisins, 1-2 cup nut meats, 1-2 cup figs, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1 tablespoon lemon juice.  
Wash fruit thoroughly through several waters. Drain and dry between paper towels. Put through food chopper with nuts and cinnamon and lemon juice and mix well. Make into small balls and roll in powdered sugar mixed with cinnamon in the proportion of 1 teaspoon cinnamon to 2 tablespoons powdered sugar.

**Apricot Squares**  
One cup dried apricots, 3-4 cup grated coconut, 1 cup nut meats, 1 tablespoon lemon juice, confectioner's or powdered sugar.  
Wash apricots through several waters and let stand in cold water for one hour. Drain and put through food chopper with nuts and coconut. Add lemon juice

and work until perfectly blended. Roll out on a sugared board into a sheet about one-fourth inch thick. Cut in squares and dip in powdered sugar.

**Fig and Raisin Cream**  
One cup dried figs, 1-4 cup chopped candied ginger, 1-2 cup brown sugar, 1 cup granulated sugar, 3-4 cup thin cream, 1 tablespoon butter, 1 teaspoon vanilla, 1 cup seedless raisins.  
Wash figs. Cook in boiling water for five minutes. Drain and chop. Cook brown and granulated sugars with cream and figs until a soft ball is formed when a few drops are tested in cold water. A candy thermometer should register 236 degrees F. Add butter and remove from the fire. Let stand until cool. Add vanilla and beat until creamy. Add raisins and ginger and knead on a slab. Shape into flat wafers. These are very good dipped in chocolate.

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## Former Dixonites Observed Golden Wedding Thursday

The Beatrice, Neb., Daily Sun of last Thursday evening contained an account of the golden wedding celebration of Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sheldon, formerly of Dixon. Mrs. Sheldon is the former Miss Alice Faust of this city and Attorney Sheldon spent his boyhood days here. He has been secretary of the Beatrice Building & Loan Assn. for many years, a post he still holds, and has also been mayor of that city. Mrs. Karl Forsberg of Dixon is his niece. During the day of their anniversary over 200 people called to extend best wishes and their son, Dr. R. F. Sheldon, and his wife conversed with them over the telephone from Long Beach, Calif.

The Sun's account of their golden wedding was as follows:

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sheldon celebrated the fiftieth anniversary of their marriage Wednesday, Dec. 6, by keeping open house during the afternoon and evening.

More than 150 of their friends called at their home, among them being four who were guests at their wedding 50 years ago. Mrs. Pond of Crete, Neb., Mr. Shorrey of Davenport, Iowa, E. F. Wilt and J. T. Harden of Beatrice.

The Kiwanis Glee club came in a body, and sang several numbers, accompanied by Mrs. Stout at the piano.

Refreshments of punch, wafers, nuts, and mints were served, and hearty congratulations and good wishes were expressed by every one.

Beautiful floral decorations abounded, over twenty designs having been sent by friends, supplemented by quite a number of appropriate and useful gifts. The gloves worn by the couple fifty years ago and what has survived of the wedding gifts were on display.

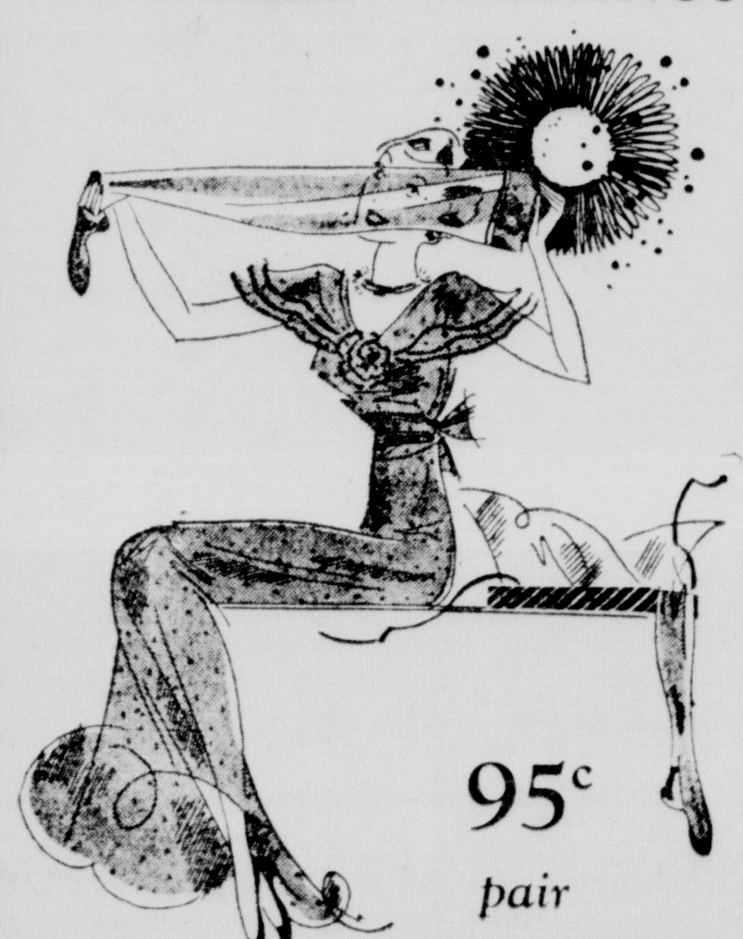
Mr. and Mrs. Sheldon were married at Dixon, Ill., December 6, 1883, coming at once to Beatrice, where Mr. Sheldon had located two years before.

They have made their home here continuously since their marriage.

**CHRISTMAS PROGRAM AT WILD CAT SCHOOL**  
An interesting and entertaining Christmas program will be given by the pupils of the Wild Cat school Friday evening, starting at 7:45 o'clock, to which the students and the teacher, Miss Lena Bowers invite all friends and patrons of the school. The program will consist of several short plays, song readings and recitations.

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## TURKEY SEASON.

This is the turkey season. During the Thanksgiving day just past nearly everybody who could afford it, and some who couldn't afford it, feasted on turkey. The others said turkey was too dry. Those who ate turkey on Thanksgiving day will be under the influence until Christmas, when they will buy another. After Christmas there will be just enough turkeys left for seed.

There are five kinds of turkeys. One is the little turkey of Yucatan and Central America, which is not as noble in appearance as his larger brother of the north. The domesticated turkey which heads for the last roundup around the middle of November is one of the subdivisions of Meleagris Gallapavo, as he is affectionately called by scientists. He is related to the pheasant. There are hen turkeys and tom turkeys; or, in most places the gentleman of the species is called a gobbler. He is called a gobbler because he gobbles; that is his characteristic musical note. After he is dead some one else does the gobbling. The gobbler is polygamous. That, perhaps, is why he wears a bluish. As a fighter the gobbler is no mean antagonist, and many a farmer's wife and small children have been routed from the barnyard by large toms who will take all comers. The gobbler wears spurs on his feet, can do efficient boxing with his wings and is able to do great execution with his beak. He is a triple threat. When he ruffles his feathers, spreads his wings and tail-feathers and launches into an angry charge he seems as large as a red barn and it takes a stout heart to defy him.

Like men, turkeys have horoscopes, except that the horoscopes of all turkeys read alike. They are warned, no matter what their birth-date, to beware of men with axes and to stay away from cages. Turkeys are predestined to spend their usually short lives in captivity. Their unlucky days run from middle of November until Dec. 25. If they can escape harm during that period they are likely to survive another year.

The turkey is the largest game bird to be domesticated by man. He sometimes attains a length of 4 feet, including neck and tail-feathers, and he quite often weighs as much as 20 pounds. He is the only domesticated poultry that originated in this country. He did not come from Turkey. He is called a turkey because his small-talk consists of a soft cry, "turk, turk, turk." Turkeys were here before the white man. Remains of turkey feasts held 500 years ago have been found in the cliff dwellings of the southwest. When the pilgrim fathers landed at Plymouth rock they found numerous turkeys. When they decided to have a Thanksgiving day the turkey was the obvious goat.

In this season of apprehensiveness on the part of the noble turkey it is well to consider that he is an economic factor. Large ranches have been devoted to his up-bringing. In 1932 the turkey crop in this country consisted of about 19 million birds. In 1928 the crop was larger, but we had more to be thankful for, then.

## A LESSON IN JUSTICE.

An Englishman recently wrote a letter to the London Times to commend the London police and courts for their promptness in disposing of a case of burglary. His letter—revealing, as it does, a kind of law enforcement which is regrettably strange on this side of the water—is worth quoting here:

"The goods were stolen on Saturday morning," he writes. "The burglar was caught and the goods recovered on Saturday afternoon. On Monday the burglar was committed by a magistrate to stand his trial at the Old Bailey. On Tuesday he was duly tried, convicted, and sentenced."

Probably speed of this kind is somewhat exceptional, even in England, where quick justice is proverbial. Nevertheless, the object lesson is too plain to be missed.

With police and courts that work so fast, is it any wonder that England has less troubles with "crime waves" than we have?

## A SIMPLE IDEA WORKS.

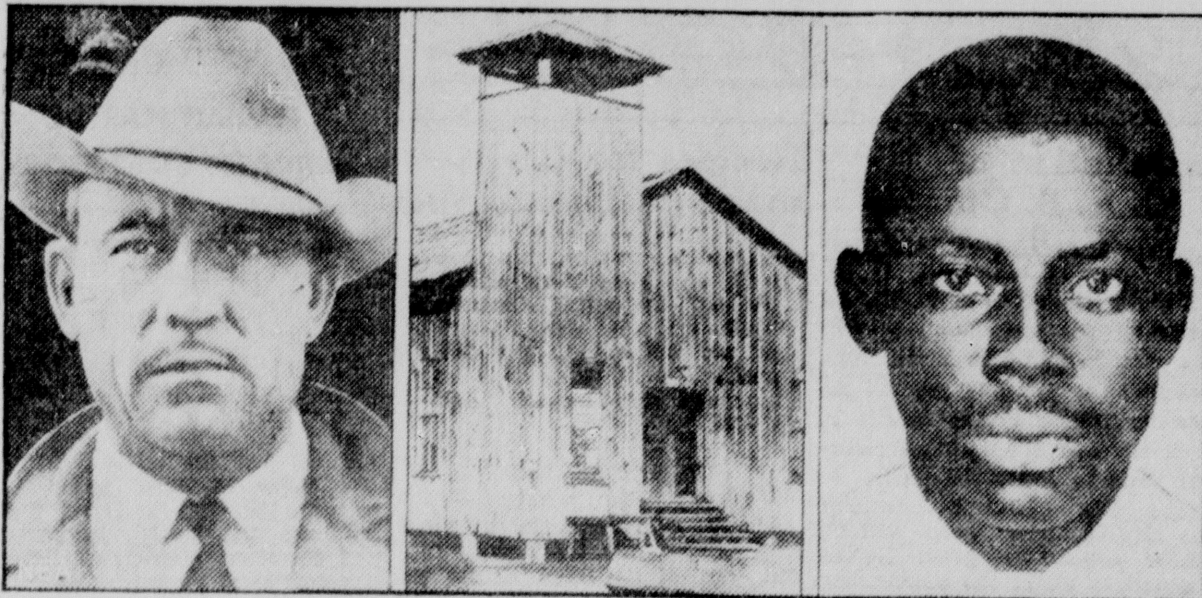
A convict in California's Folsom prison, according to press dispatches, has invented a method of making hydrogen at a cost about one forty-fifth of the present one.

The man did his job in a small room off the warden's office, it is said, using a make-shift apparatus composed chiefly of four salad dressing jars, a single dry cell, and some odds and ends of tubing and so on. Engineers who have examined his method believe it may revolutionize the hydrogen industry.

We have no notion whether this will be the case, and the price of hydrogen doesn't affect us much, anyhow—but somehow we hope it all works out as these optimistic reports say. It's the kind of story that ought to be true, even if it isn't.

I'll give my last drop of blood to see that the NRA and other emergency legislation are not made permanent.—U. S. Senator Simeon D. Fess of Ohio.

# Texas Mob Wreaks Fury on Body of Negro Seized From Sheriff



Seizing the body of David Gregory, negro slayer, right, from Sheriff Miles Jordan, left, a mob at Kountze, Tex., dragged the corpse behind an auto, mutilated it, and then burned the remains, after cutting the heart out. The negro was wounded and captured in a siege at the negro church in Voth, Tex., center, after he had attacked and murdered a white woman, then burned her body.

## PILLAR OF SALT

By L. L. R.

### ON WRITING

If you have a mania for covering every blank sheet of paper with words, and if your mind wanders from thought to thought, and won't be calm until you've outlined your ramblings in writing; then you are destined to become a writer. Perhaps you will build up a large personal correspondence, or perhaps your writings will even take the form of political speeches; but a writer you will surely be—whether good or bad.

And you won't know what fatigue is. Why, I know a fellow who has written no less than fifteen full length manuscripts. That means he has scribbled at least a million completed words, to say nothing of the scores of pages he has torn up in disgust. And not even one of his stories has ever been published. Now that is ambition!

There are as many varieties of writers as there are kinds of apples. And, like the apples, they vary greatly in flavor. Some are sweet; others are sour. Some are sound and

good; others are spoiled and rotten.

The newspaperman is in a class by himself. While he is engaged in his work, he belongs to no other group of writers. He is not always a good writer, but his news stories command the interest of the world. An editor once remarked that there is "less difference between commercial writers than one would imagine." In other words, the important thing in reporting is to get the stories; not to write them. There are insiders in the office who can bat off the actual stories.

But it is true that many of the great writers of the day are products of the press. Perhaps this is due to the fact that in newspaper work a person looks in on the lives of many people, and a wealth of material from real life is constantly available for imaginative minds.

There is another class of writers almost as large as that of the newspapermen. That is made up of the thousands of short story writers. Most of these, to be sure, turn out "trash" by the ream, and their stuff appears in the scores of rough-paper magazines. But some of this class are well on their way toward greatness.

Writing is probably the most discouraging work in the world. No one, except one who has re-

ceived them, can appreciate the wallow a rejection slip can give. But the desire to write, once it strikes you, cannot be shaken off. You start out at once, (perhaps going the rounds of newspaper offices, perhaps flooding the mails with your work) and you don't stop until your pencil arm is peacefully resting on your breathless chest.

## Daily Health Talk

### REFRIGERATION AND DISEASE

As if it were not bad enough that we know so little about the primary and contributory causes of cancer, confusion is added to the picture by the frequent appearance of totally erroneous and unwarranted statements on its alleged causes.

Virtually anything that is new, whether it be a cooking utensil made of a new metal, a new food preservative, some artificial coloring material or what not—each in turn is suspected by some as the possible cause of cancer.

Thus the suspicion has been spread that one type of refrigeration may be harmful and another beneficial. Without supporting evidence, it has been claimed by some that various diseases are due to the widespread use of mechanical refrigeration.

To give these claims a substance of reasonableness it is urged that such refrigeration, so to speak, takes the life out of foods and that this devitalization is responsible for the weakening of the human body and the production of such disease conditions as cancer, rotting of the teeth, toxic poisoning, constipation, acidosis, diarrhea and other less definite types of ill health.

But there isn't a particle of real proof that mechanical refrigeration is responsible for these things, and on the contrary, every evidence that both types of refrigeration—ice box or mechanical—preserve foods and prevent spoilage by bacteria.

Professor Rosenau states in his "Preventive Medicine and Hygiene" that "from a sanitary standpoint, refrigeration is one of the best methods of preserving foodstuffs." The advantages of cold as a preservative are that it neither adds to nor takes away any constituent from the food. Cold imparts no new taste nor does it seriously alter the natural flavor.

It does not diminish its digestibility nor cause a loss of nutritive value. It has slight if any effect on most of the vitamins. The material is left in approximately its original condition." Tomorrow—Tobacco.

Slag has been found to be of use to the oyster industry. The problem of finding material to which the young oysters could fasten themselves was solved when some slag was lost overboard from barges.

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Evidence that holiday shipping is expected to be better than last year is given in the fact that two million special Christmas package address labels have been distributed throughout the express system for the convenience of holiday shippers. A supply is available at the local express office.

The Express Agency representative offers some timely suggestions on the packing and addressing of gift shipments to insure prompt and safe arrival at this very busy period in the transportation business. These are important because much of the holiday traffic comes from infrequent shippers.

Use plenty of good wrapping paper and twine and if the contents are fragile, so indicate on the package. Special "fragile" and "glass" labels are obtainable for shipments with contents of that nature.

The complete and legible addressing of packages is of vital importance as illegible or incorrect "marks" often cause delays in transit. Owing to the growth of so many small towns which have become sizable cities, express people urge that the complete street address of the receiver of a package be indicated in the address.

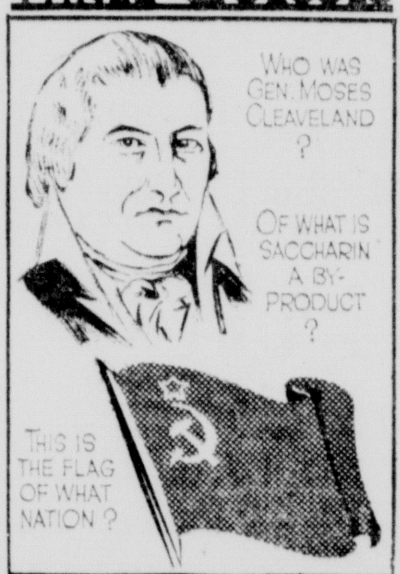
Care in writing the names of states, especially when abbreviations are used, is also important. There are dozens of cities and towns of the same name located in different states. If the state name is abbreviated in such a way as to suggest the wrong state location, packages may go astray, no matter what care is taken by transportation people in handling them.

### Planets and Health

According to astrologers, the Sun and Venus denote the moral character while Saturn and the moon control the physical aspects. The sun and Saturn (note the combinations) represent the father; the moon and Venus, the mother; in any horoscope. The sun and its aspects have to do with the health of a man while the moon governs the health of a woman.

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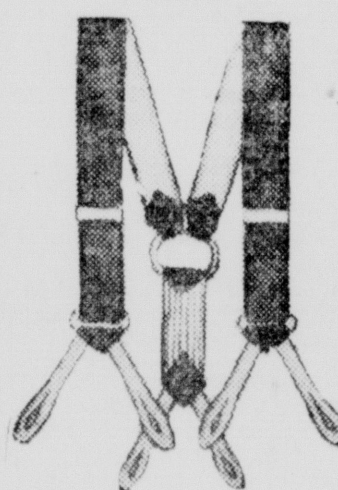
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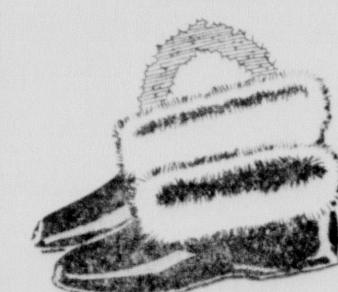
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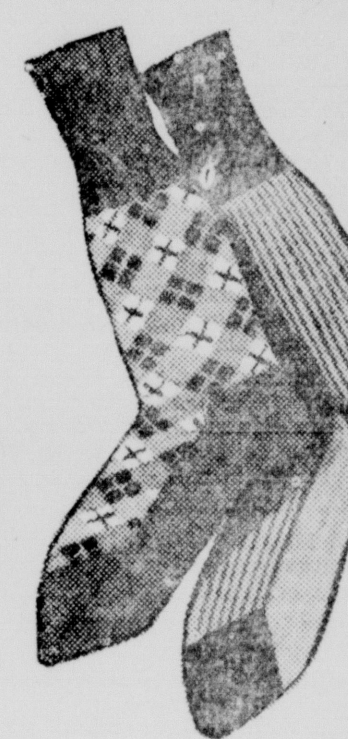


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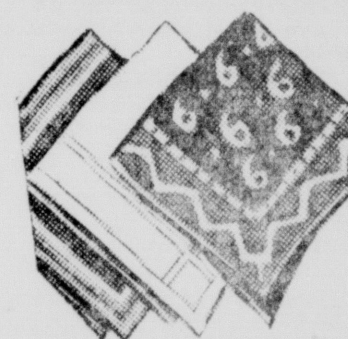
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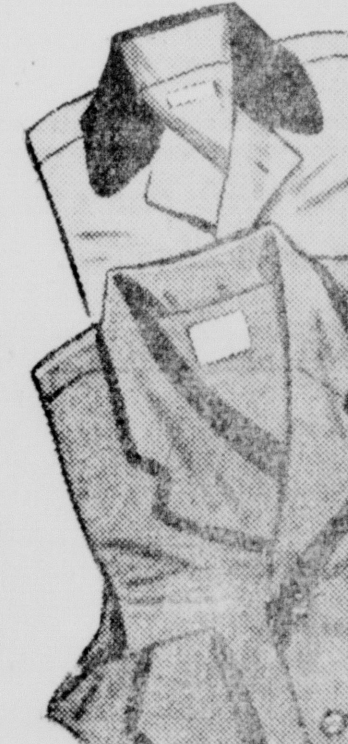
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Novelty Pajamas in solid colors or attractive prints.

\$1.95



Sweaters—Button front or slipover. Pure wools.

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VAILE AND O'MALLEY



## COMPTON NEWS

By Faye Archer

Compton—A new idea has been formed in the preparation of a Christmas program this year. Instead of the usual separate programs by Sunday school and the schools, the children of the local and rural schools in the immediate vicinity, and the children of the Sunday school of the M. E. church are working together to present an evening's entertainment called "The Christmas Spirit." This will be presented in the high school gymnasium, Friday evening, Dec. 22, at 8 o'clock. There will be no admission charged but instead a free-will offering will be taken to defray expenses of the program material, tree, treats, etc.

## The Program

Music by the Sunday School Orchestra.

Welcome—Beatrice Chaon.

## PLAY—

Grandpa—Guy Mireley.  
Grandma—Betty Jane July.  
Wally—William Davis.  
Sylvia—Betty Ann Montavon.  
Shepherds—Raymond Cook, Ted Nelson, Leo Eggers.  
Annunciation Angel—Maxine Eggers.  
Mary—June Ketley.  
Joseph—Margaret Kessler.  
Little Angels—Earl Hawkins, De-  
los Ketley, Bobby Arjes and Evelyn Lemmer.

Wise Men—Floyd Archer, Allen McClenhen, Bob Henry.

Spirit of Christmas—Cleora Otterback.

Christmas Emblems—

Stars—Jake and Allie Arjes, Eva Lemmer, Loretta Schlesinger and Arthur Politich.

Wreath—Dorothy Ketley.

Candles—Marvin Novak, Arthur Eddy, Wallace Davis, Leo Untz, Alfred Janssen and Bobby Montavon.

Holly—Norma Becket.

Bells—Fay Wilson, Clifford and Viola Aschenbach, Gwendolyn and Raymond Smith and Althea Birdel.

Tree—LeRoy Schlesinger.

Fairies—Dorothy Untz, Dorothy Eddy, Norma Eddy, Bernice Untz, and Darlene Davis.

Toys—Betty Bauer, Eleanor Stein and Henrietta Politich.

Candy—Marjorie Chaon, Lavilla May Swope, ElRoy Schlesinger.

Packages—Evelyn, Phyllis and Bud Jacobs.

Santa Claus and Reindeer—Dale Archer with Jimmy Corwin, Jimmy Taylor, Robert Bernadin, Charles and Billy Herr, Billy Carnahan, Aaron Novak and John Richardson.

At a regular meeting of Juanita Chapter No. 361 of the O. E. S., the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Worthy Matron: Mrs. Mary Carnahan.

Worthy Patron: Wilder Richardson.

Asso. Matron: Mrs. Pauline Holdren.

Asso. Patron: Gus Bauer.

Conductress: Mrs. Bessie Cook.

Asso. Conductress: Mrs. Ruth A. Holdren.

Installation of the officers will be held at the next stated meeting, Tuesday, December 19.

At the 76th annual meeting of Brooklyn Lodge No. 282, A. F. & A. M., the following officers were elected for the coming year:

Worshipful Master: Leslie G. Archer.

Senior Warden: Walter Archer.

Junior Warden: L. McDougall.

Treasurer: Ed. Holdren.

Secretary: R. Carnahan.

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## Relatives Back Woman Charged With Torch Murder of Ex-Mate



Fighting a torch murder charge, Mrs. May Hanson, 39, center, is shown here in Rockford, Ill., court, comforted by the support of her aged mother, Mrs. Alice Mudler of Milwaukee, and Mrs. Hanson's daughter, June, 18. The prosecution charges that Mrs. Hanson drenched her divorced husband with gasoline and then ignited his clothing. He died in the flaming ruins of his automobile.

L. Miller, Wednesday, December 13.

The local Red Cross chapter will hold a meeting on Monday evening, Dec. 17, at 7:30 in the high school. Reports will be given on the work of the past year, a financial statement will be made, and election of officers for the coming year will be held. Everyone interested in Red Cross is urged to be present at this meeting.

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members. Everyone is invited to share in this giving.

## Hospital Notes

Mrs. George Gillette underwent an appendectomy at the local hospital Friday morning.

Louis E. Bauer fell Friday evening in the basement of his home and fractured several ribs.

Roy Gordon was unfortunate in getting his hand caught in the fan of his car, requiring several stitches to close the gash.

Mrs. Martin Bauer has been confined to her bed for several days.

Ned Nelson who was gored by a bull was brought to the local hospital and is receiving treatment.

Mrs. George Swope is recovering nicely from a recent operation.

Dr. S. Flennin of Paw Paw assisted in professional work at the hospital during the past week.

The Royal Neighbors organization will give a public card party in their hall Thursday, Dec. 14. Admission will be only 15 cents.

A play entitled, "The Path Across the Hill" will be given by the young people of School District No. 120 of which Florence A. Bresson is the teacher, Friday evening, Dec. 15, in the Gehant Opera house at West Brooklyn, beginning at 8 o'clock. Good entertainment will be given between acts. The play will be followed by dancing until 1 o'clock. Admission to the play will be 25 cents and 10 cents.

John Banks and Dr. C. G. Pool spent Saturday and Monday in Dixon.

Roland Richardson and Charles July were working at the "Cool" apartments in Dixon Saturday afternoon.

## Everyday Religion

TALKIE AND MOVIE

By Dr. Joseph Fort Newton

Snakes crawl, birds fly, fish swim, dogs run, but man talks himself forward. Having discussed a thing for half a century, he takes a tiny, cautious step in advance, and then sits down and reopens the infinite conversation. As a talker man travels in an air-

plane; as an actor he rides in an oxcart—yet he does, somehow, get along.

Take the matter of Church Unity, of which we hear so much and see so little. All agree that a divided church is wasteful, as well as ineffective; yet the pace of a snail is swift beside our progress toward unity. Beyond the evil of overlapping, we do not know what we mean by church unity, much less how to bring it about. Rose Macaulay was right: "To organize religion, a man must have the talents of the Devil."

Or listen to the endless talk about peace, in a world armed to the teeth for war. It began twenty-seven hundred years ago, when Isaiah and Micah prophesied in the Holy City of a time when nation will not take up sword against nation. Centuries later Plato took up the theme in Athens, adding

that "the creation of a world that is civilized lies in the victory of persuasion over force"; and surely he was right.

Yet today, after a World War in which ten million men died, humanity is more heavily armed than ever before. No wonder people get tired of tedious talk and appeal to dictators to put an end to the gab of wrangling parliaments, in order to get something done. Yes, talk is our greatest industry, and words are a commodity in which there has never been a slump on record, in spite of a vast overproduction.

In religion, too, man is long on talk and short on acts. Since time began the prophets have rebuked him, because he says and does not. All too often he is loud in profession and low on performance, and his religion becomes empty and unreal. He is so easily tempted just to take it out in talk. Yet

man must talk, if only to clarify the issues and make up his mind; and there are some words which have the force of deeds! In One at least the Word became flesh and was acted out in life!

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GOOD HOUSE KEEPERS like our colored paper for pantry shelves. We have many colors. Come in and select something to walls. It comes in rolls, 10c to 50c. harmonize with your woodwork and B. F. Shaw Printing Co.

ORDER AT ONCE If you intend to send out Christmas Greeting Cards you should place your order at once. Call and see our beautiful line. B. F. Shaw Printing Co.



More than ever it's  
**THINGS to WEAR**  
this Christmas

**M**EN always have preferred things to wear to gadgets and gewgaws. This year many actually need them. Husbands and fathers have foregone new suits and overcoats so that wives and children would not feel the pinch; many a young fellow has seen the price of longed-for ties or shirts invested in a dinner of the movies. Now is the time to make it up to them and giving sensible, stylish things to wear is the way.

The princely gift is a

**NEW DARK  
OVERCOAT**

**\$19.50**

OTHER SUGGESTIONS



# Sports of All Sorts

## Mack Disposes of Grove, Walberg, Cochran, Ernschaw and Bishop in Deal

### Biggest Swap of Star Baseball Players is Consummated

Chicago, Dec. 13.—(AP)—The biggest baseball player deal of them all was in the bag today, and the annual major league meeting settled down to regular business and lesser swaps and sales.

Connie Mack had disposed, as had been reported he would, of Lefty Grove, Rube Walberg, Mickey Cochrane, George Earnshaw and Max Bishop, getting in return, around \$300,000 in cash, and pitcher Bob Kline and infielder Harold Warfield from the Boston Red Sox, and catcher Charlie Berry from the Chicago White Sox.

Boston got Grove, Walberg and Bishop, Cochrane will manage Detroit, and Earnshaw will pitch for Chicago. The White Sox lost a first string catcher in Berry, but obtained in return, Johnny Pesek, a receiver who figured in the Detroit-Cochrane deal. The acquisition of Grove, Walberg and Bishop promises to make the Red Sox a real contender for the title next year, while Detroit will be well-heeled for catchers, with Cochrane and Ray Hayworth on the roster.

May Help White Sox  
If he pitches as he did in 1929-30 and '31, Earnshaw will give Chicago something they have longed for several years, a hurler who can be depended upon to win a lot of games. What Philadelphia got out of the deal besides the \$300,000, appears much less concrete.

Mack's announcement almost completely overshadowed other bright bits of news. Kenesaw Mountain Landis was signed to another seven-year contract as Baseball Commissioner, and William Harridge was given a five-year document as president, secretary and treasurer of the American League.

The huge deal by no means ended the bartering. Other negotiations were on the fire. The Cubs, Pittsburgh Pirates and St. Louis were reported to be tangled up in a sizable piece of business, while the Cincinnati Reds were said to be after catcher Bob O'Farrell of the Cardinals as playing manager. Cleveland wanted Oscar Melillo, St. Louis Browns second baseman, but had little hope of getting him, as Manager Rogers Hornsby wanted Earl Averill as St. Louis' share of the deal.

Braves After Cuyler  
The Boston Braves were believed angling for Kiki Cuyler, star outfielder of the Chicago Cubs, as reports of a deal by which the Cubs would trade pitcher Pat Malone and Cuyler to Cincinnati for Chick Hafey fell through.

However, it was rumored that pitcher Malone is for sale or trade with St. Louis or Pittsburgh angling for him.

The two leagues will meet in joint session tomorrow to consider the standard baseball and radio problems. The latter question was expected to remain as it is, with each club making its own decision as to whether there should be broadcasts of games.

Both leagues appeared agreed that a standard baseball should be adopted, but there was no indication as to whether it should be the Jumpish American League mistake, or the less lively National League implement.

RECALL 19 YEARS AGO  
Philadelphia, Dec. 13.—(AP)—It's 19 years since Connie Mack broke up his pennant-winning "100,000 infield," but that upheaval apparently still stands as the most devastating to the Athletics.

There's no doubt that the sensational sales announced yesterday at Chicago overshadow them financially, but the transactions that started after the close of the 1914 season, after the A's had lost four straight games of the world series to the amazing Boston Braves, ripped the team apart like nothing before or since.

The A's lost 11 players at that time, compared to five yesterday and whereas the ax severed the ace batteries from the 1913 lineup, in the earlier shakeup Mack lost his star pitchers, strongest hitters and one of the game's greatest second-basemen.

Unique Coincidence  
First to go in that selling spree which astounded the baseball world was Eddie Collins, stellar second-sacker who went to the Chicago White Sox for a then record price of \$50,000. By a unique coincidence, Collins, now part owner and general manager of the Boston Red Sox, bought two of Mack's pitchers and his second-baseman yesterday.

Soon after he sold Collins Mack lost his three best pitchers, Jack (Iron Man) Combs, who went 24 innings in one game to defeat the Red Sox in 1906, Chief Bender and Eddie Plank. Bender and Plank jumped to the Federal League and Combs was given his release, later joining the Brooklyn club.

These changes brought the A's no cash but the lean pilot garnered \$50,000 for the club by selling catcher Wally Schang, "Bullet Joe" Bush, star hurler, and outfielder Amos Strunk to the Red Sox. Besides the cash, Mack got three players from Boston, Ven

Gregg, Chet Thomas and Irvin Kopp.

Lost Home Run Baker  
It was about this time the A's lost Frank (Home Run) Baker, the Babe Ruth of his day. He retired temporarily and later joined the New York Yankees. Pitcher Bob Shawkey, who managed the Scranton team of the New York-Pennsylvania League last season, also went to the Yankees for the waiver price.

In other deals, Jack Barry, a sterling shortstop, was sold to Boston and outfielder Rube Oldring to the Yankees.

The loss of all this power put Connie Mack in the tail-end class for the first time in his career and he was a long time in the cellar. From 1915 he finished in last place for seven consecutive seasons before starting the rebuilding campaign that culminated in his splendid triumphs of 1929, 1930 and 1931.

IT'S TOMORROW AGAIN  
Chicago, Dec. 13.—(AP)—It's tomorrow again or that grand old fighting heart and patriarch of baseball, Connie Mack.

Gone from him is his great stars of yesterday—Bob Grove, Al Simmons, George Earnshaw, Mickey Cochrane, Max Bishop, Jimmy Dykes, Mule Haas and others—but those keen blue eyes that have seen them come and go for almost a half century of baseball are gazing intently and hopefully toward the horizon of tomorrow.

Connie Mack, 71 years old this month, is starting up from the bottom again.

His heart ached, but he's done it before and he'll get back to the top again.

Baseball has seen its comedy and tragedies, but nothing was quite as sad as the meeting with the tall, gaunt leader of the Athletics with newspapermen last night when he made probably the most important announcement of player deals in the game's history.

Simple Announcement  
"Well boys," he started, "here it is. Bob Grove (that's the way he said it), Rube Walberg, Max Bishop go to the Red Sox; Mickey Cochrane goes to Detroit; Earnshaw goes to Chicago; and we get Mr. Berry (Catcher Charlie Berry) from the White Sox, pitcher Bob Kline and infielder, Harold (Rabbit) Warfield from Boston. That's all." He smiled as he announced the deals and calmly swept aside a barrage of questions as to salary, terms, etc.

But outside the conference room, he almost surrendered to his emotions for the first time. Tears welled in his eyes and he slowly wended his way to his room for solitude.

Loved His Boys  
"Gee, his heart is broken," one reporter, who has known him for years said. "He didn't mind some of the fellows, but it broke his heart to part with Grove and Cochrane. You know he loved those guys."

A reporter called Connie's room. He was in, but he didn't answer.

A half hour later, however, when he returned to the hotel lobby, you wouldn't guess that he had just broken up his "ball club" except for Jimmie Fox.

Cochrane slid up to him. "I'm manager of the Detroit Tigers now, Mr. Mack, you know, and I'd like to buy Hugs."

"What!" exclaimed Mack in genuine bewilderment. "Why, do you think for a minute that I want to break up my ball club?"

REPLENISHMENT OF GAME BIRDS IN STATE MADE  
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## IT'S IN THE BAG!



This is not, as you may have surmised, a one-man orchestra. The lad wearing the strange device is Cotton Warburton, U. S. C. and All-America quarterback. The gadget is a "Douglas Bag" for measurement of energy. Below is Dr. Francis Baldwin, who will test the football energy Warburton bottles up in the bag.

Acting Director of the Conservation Department.

In the past four months, 10,842 pheasants and 4,080 quail have been released in Illinois to renew the stock of native birds. All birds are released in districts that are partially protected from hunters, and where birds will come most quickly acclimated to freedom.

The quail were freed in 61 counties. The quail were raised near Springfield, and the pheasants at Mt. Vernon and Yorkville.

The importation of European stock to strengthen the strain of native pheasants has been adopted as the department's policy to double the output of next year.

From England 450 mutants, strong bred with iridescent coloring, have been imported to More than 125 Mongolian pheasant strengthen the ring-neck breed. Cocks have also been imported, and larger pheasants will be bred.

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By NRA COMPLIANCE BOARD

At the request of employers and employees, we wish to give some of the requirements of the NRA for Retail Stores.

Peak periods—At Christmas inventory and other peak times for a period not to exceed two weeks in the first six months of the calendar year and not to exceed three weeks in the second six months.

Group A, employees shall not work more than 40 hours per week, 8 hours per day, 6 days per week.

Group B, employees shall not work more than 44 hours per week, 9 hours per day, 6 days per week.

Group C, employees shall not work more than 48 hours per week, 10 hours per day, 6 days per week.

Group D (for Drug Stores only) employees shall not work more than 56 hours per week, 10 hours per day, 13 days in any two consecutive weeks.

Exceptions  
Group A, at Christmas, inventory or other peak times, employees may work 47 hours per week, 9 hours per day, 6 days per week.

Group B, employees may work 52 hours per week, 9½ hours per day, 6 days per week.

Group C, (Drug Stores) employees may work 56 hours per week, 10 hours per day, 6 days per week.

Employees may, on one day each week, work one extra hour, but such hours must be included within the maximum hours permitted each week.

No employee may work over time even though he or she were to be paid extra wages for such over time, except as provided above.

The weekly wages of all classes of employees shall not be reduced from the rate existing upon July 15th, 1933 notwithstanding any reduction in working hours, of such employees.

Employees previously paid by the hourly rate, since the shortening of hours would reduce actual earnings, the hourly rate must be increased so as to give the same compensation for the whole week as received previously.

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school is taught by Miss Anna Sanders of Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. George Meurer and sons, Russell and Earl, and Mr. and Mrs. William Dahler of Amboy enjoyed dinner Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. White of Dixon.

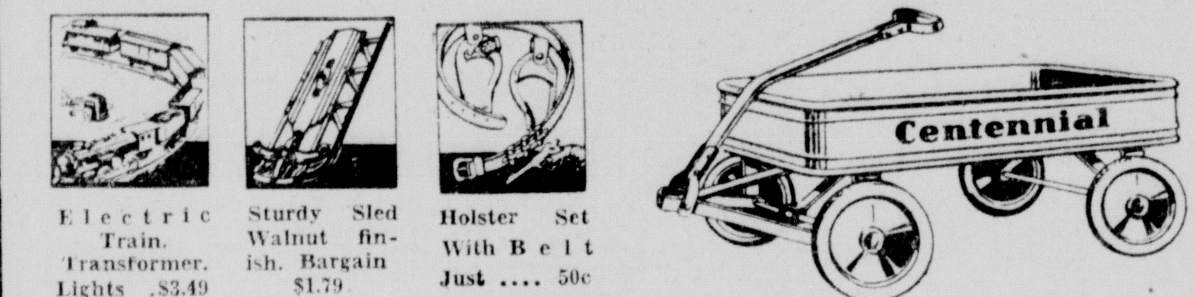
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## SENATOR THOMAS HAS NEW SCHEME REGARDING GOLD

Would Have President  
Call It All In and  
Then Melt It Up

Washington, Dec. 13.—(AP)—The Federal Reserve could issue nearly \$3,000,000,000 in new currency all of it backed by more than the 40 per cent of required gold, but Senator Thomas (D., Okla.), inflationist, sought support today for a plan under which the President could impound, devalue and resell all of the yellow metal.

As Thomas explained his proposal, embodied in a bill he said would be presented to the President, it was designed to remove doubt as to the Chief Executive's authority to call in gold and at the same time assure that the government made the profit from any devaluation.

The currency possibility, which the Federal Reserve system was said to be prepared to make a reality as rapidly as conditions permitted, was disclosed in figures on the banks' condition. These showed that without changing the statutory gold value of \$20.67 an ounce, the system held enough gold to issue \$2,929,278,000 in new reserve notes a little more than half the money now in circulation.

Channels Blocked  
The difficulty it was explained, was that the channels through which the money could be distributed were stopped up. Loans by member banks continue low so they have not demanded much cash from the central reserve banks. Conditions would have to stimulate lending by the member banks, otherwise the new currency would stay in the Reserve Bank vaults.

Thomas said his idea was that the gold should all be called in and paid for with gold certificates, at its then dollar value. The metal would be melted, remoulded and revalued. The man who then came back with, say, a \$10 bill to trade it for gold would get just half as much gold as he turned in if the devaluation were 50 per cent. But no bars worth less than \$5,000 would be available.

The extent of the revaluation would be left to the President.

## EAST INLET

By Blanche Clarke

East Inlet—Miss Blanche Clarke has been ill several days with tonsillitis. Her friends hope to see her around soon.

Don't forget to attend the Home Talent play, "The Good Lord Invents That We Shall Work Out Our Own Problems." Then we learn something. And when a mortal interferes with God's plan, it's sure to tangle things up. Come to the Gehant opera house at West Brooklyn on Friday evening, Dec. 15th and see the three act drama, "The Path Across the Hill," by Lillian Mortimer, put on by the young people of school district 120 and given for the benefit of this school. Over two hours of good entertainment including that between acts. After the play there will be dancing until 1:00 A. M.

Edward Koch shredded corn on Wednesday.

Edward Reinsch spent Monday evening at the home of his sister, Mrs. Edward Clarke.

Quite a few from here attended the dance at Charles Becker's on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Heiden, sons John and James, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Zimmerman and daughter Lois, were callers at the Osewin Halbmaier home Tuesday evening.

Paul Halbmaier was a caller at the Edward Clarke home Wednesday morning.

Fern Clayton has been visiting at the Estella Clayton home in Amboy the past two weeks.

Leroy Delhotal and friend spent Wednesday evening in Sublette.

William Smith has been assisting with the farm work at the Andrew Dukes home while Mr. Dukes is on the sick list.

James Boyle was a business caller in Amboy Thursday.

J. E. Elssesser of Amboy was a business caller in this community Tuesday.

Ether Montavon visited school Thursday afternoon.

Charles Dukes was called home from Green Valley where he had been visiting relatives on account of the illness of his father.

Robert Heiden of Dundee, Ill., is visiting at the home of his brother Rudolph Heiden for a few days.

Chester Ross returned to Pennsylvania Sunday after visiting at the home of his mother, Mrs. Adie Ross, for sometime.

Among the Amboy shoppers on Saturday were Mr. and Mrs. Sherman Shaw and family, Mrs. Addie

Ross and son Clarence, Mrs. James Boyle, Andrew Delhotal, Mr. and Mrs. Berthold Austin and family, Jake Kessel and grandson Billy.

Alfred Mueller is the proud owner of an Essex car which he purchased in Mendota Monday.

Elmer Ross who has been working with a gravel company at Decatur, Ill., has been transferred to Kenney, Illinois.

The people in this community were shocked when they learned of the death of Frank O'Brien. Mr. O'Brien formerly lived in this community.

Clarence Smith and Edward Clarke Jr., motored to Cherry, Illinois Friday where they purchased a truckload of coal and hauled it to Harmon.

Mary July visited a few days at the home of her friend Mrs. Adie Ross, last week.

William Smith returned home after spending a few days at the John Busser home in Franklin Grove.

Ollie Heinzerth was a caller at the George Smith home Sunday.

Sunday evening a group of young folks gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Clarke for a house party. The evening was spent in playing various games which caused much laughter. At a late hour a scramble lunch was served to the guests in cafeteria style. The lunch consisted of three kinds of cake, sandwiches, pickles, coffee. After lunch Miss Blanche Clarke suggested that they form a club. Everyone was willing that this be carried out. Rules were made for to be obeyed and it was decided that the members of the club go from house to house and keep the club together. Anyone wishing to join the club can see Blanche Clarke and she will tell what to do to join. It was decided to hold the meetings every two weeks and to be on Friday nights.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Zimmerman and daughter Lois, Mr. and Mrs. Osewin Halbmaier and son Leroy, Marion Hagendorf, Duane July, and Pat Butler of Compton, Alfred Mueller and Viola Hagerman, of Sublette and Ethel, Clarence and Harry Smith.

Ralph Smith spent Sunday at the John Busser home at Franklin Grove. Ethel Smith returned home with him after spending a few days visiting there.

Mr. and Mrs. George Smith, son Junior were Dixon shoppers Saturday.

## MDIVANI BROS. INDICTED FOR GRAND LARCENY

Two of the Marrying  
Princes Accused by  
Los Angeles Jurors

Los Angeles, Dec. 13.—(AP)—Fourteen grand theft charges today faced David and Serge Mdivan, Georgian princes and former husbands respectively of Mae Murray, film actress, and Mary McCormic, opera singer.

The pair was indicted yesterday afternoon by the county grand jury which charged them with the theft of funds from the Pacific Shore Oil Company, which they formerly headed.

The grand jury action culminated two days of investigation. Investors in the oil concern were summoned in connection with the complaints. The earnings of the company had not been paid to them as scheduled.

Specifically, the indictment charges the princes with having stolen \$37,074.53 from the oil company between February 13, 1931, and June of this year.

Among the complainants were Robert Vignola, motion picture director, and Pat O'Malley, screen actor.

Bail for each of the Mdivanis was set at \$10,000 and their attorney, Edna Covert Plummer, said she would surrender her clients today.

## McKendree College Boys' Water Fight Nearly Lost "Home"

Lebanon, Ill., Dec. 12.—(AP)—A water fight by students living in a boy's dormitory at McKendree College here nearly cost them their happy home.

With the approach of the Christmas holidays the students had been specializing in extra-curricular exuberance, culminating Saturday night in a water fight which the house mother was unable to quell.

Dr. Cameron Harmon threatened to close the dormitory unless the students promised to be good. Today an apology signed by every boy in the dormitory lay on the president's desk and the doors of the dormitory remained open.

The Dixon Telegraph clubs with many magazines. If you are interested call at our office and examine list.

Read the ads in the Telegraph this evening.

## DETROIT FACING \$18,982,821.00 DEFICIT JUNE 30

City's Finances Enough  
To Give Mayor  
Headache

Detroit, Mich., Dec. 13.—(AP)—A list of expected receipts and expenditures, with \$5,000,000 on the wrong side of the ledger, today threatened Detroit with a total municipal deficit of \$18,982,821 by the end of its current fiscal year, June 30, 1934.

Members of the city finance committee, though not admitting the situation hopeless, agreed that the \$5,000,000 must be found between now and next June 30 if the city government is to avoid a further increase in its present deficit of \$13,982,821.

The city expects to collect \$17,000,000 in taxes between Jan. 1 and July 1, 1934 but here is how Comptroller William J. Curran immediately allocates the sum:

Fund for redemption of current city scrip \$10,000,000; allocation for refunding program \$4,500,000, other current bills \$2,500,000.

"What are we going to do for money on which to operate the government for six months?" asked Councilman John C. Lodge when he saw the figures.

Need More New Scrip

"That's why we need \$23,000,000 in scrip for the six months," replied Comptroller Curran. "Legally we can issue only \$18,000,000 and that leaves us with an imminent deficit of \$5,000,000."

New sources of revenue appear to be the solution of the problem but mayor-elect Frank Couzens discussing this subject said: "License fees which we expected to raise \$1,000,000 last year produced only \$500,000 and a lot of complaints."

Councilman Lodge has two solutions: State support of the city's schools or federal operation of the city's Department of Public Works.

The finance committee will tackle the problem again Thursday and attempt to devise new revenue sources.

## JORDAN NEWS

By DOUGLAS DEYO

JORDAN—Robert Sargent of Lanark visited Douglas Deyo Wednesday evening.

Miss Villetta Allen, teacher in the Malta school, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orville Allen.

George Lehman caught an 18½ pound badger on the John C. Smith farm a week ago.

George Schryver shipped his hogs Wednesday.

Frank Folk is recovering from his recent sickness and is able to be around the house.

Oscar Lehman assisted Fred Woeshner to shred corn Friday.

John Zigler was a caller at the John Smith home Thursday.

Erastus Schryver will hold a sale soon after which he will go to California to live.

James Fuller is suffering from infection in his left hand.

Mrs. Martha Shaver and Mrs. Fannie Myers of Polo have gone to Milledgeville to spend the winter with their children.

Fifty neighbors and friends gathered at the Harry Peugh home Tuesday evening and gave them a farewell surprise. The Peugh family moved to Milledgeville Saturday. Cards were enjoyed and refreshments were served.

## A THOUGHT FOR TODAY

Thou forefore which teachest another, teachest thou not thyself? thou that preachest a man should not steal, dost thou steal?

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Excellent quality broad-cloth, two-piece. Contrasting color trim. Very exceptionally priced.



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Full bleached, white cotton muslin. Torn ends for straight hems and tape selvedge edges for strength.

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## Wards for TOY VALUES



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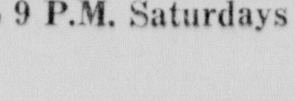
Maple Skis. Leather straps. Strong. \$1.98



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1 and 5 Who is the royal lady in the picture?  
8 Young dog.  
12 Name.  
13 Juice.  
15 Mortar tray.  
16 Force.  
17 Lump of butter.  
18 Not in.  
20 Drone bee.  
21 Neuter pronoun.  
23 What is the capital of her country?  
25 Behold.  
26 Rife.  
27 To be sick.  
29 Words.  
31 To arm anew.  
33 Burden.  
34 Portico.  
35 Hastened.  
38 Sea eagle.  
39 Sudden.  
41 Harem.  
43 Preposition of place.  
44 Trench around.

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

England.  
17 Witticisms.  
19 Emperor.  
21 She is the dowager queen of —.  
23 Vagabonds.  
24 Bonds.  
26 Sound of a hog.  
28 Tardier.  
30 To decree.  
32 Dewy.  
36 Fine.  
37 Small body of land.  
40 Adult state of insect.  
42 World.  
43 To perform.  
46 You.  
47 Stint.  
48 To piece out.  
50 Blenish.  
51 Prefix denoting ill.  
52 Ocean.  
53 Before Christ.  
54 Sun god.  
57 Mister.  
58 Form of "the".

**VERTICAL**

2 One.  
3 Aurora.  
4 Type standard.  
5 Footway.  
6 Above.  
7 Indigent.  
9 Exclamation.  
10 Wand.  
11 Heathen god.  
13 Membranous bag.  
14 To regret.  
16 She is grand daughter of Queen — of —.  
17 Tissue.  
18 Minor note.  
19 She is called the royal — (n.).  
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**THE NEWFANGLES (Mom'n Pop)**

JUST AS THE JUDGE WAS ABOUT TO SIGN MR. GRIM'S PETITION, MAKING THE ADOPTION OF JIMMIE LEGAL, THE CONSTABLE'S HOUND TOOK ONE SNIFF OF GRIM AND SANK HIS TEETH IN HIS PANTS LEG.

I ARREST YOU, IN THE NAME OF THE LAW!

WHAT'S THE MEANING OF THIS, CONSTABLE?

## UNCLE IRA IS IN FOR IT!

**JUST IN TIME!**

IT MEANS THAT THIS FELLER IS WANTED ON A PEEKIN'-TOM CHARGE, AN' FER ATTEMPTIN' KIDNAPIN'!

THIS IS PREPOSTEROUS, YOUR HONOR! MY CLIENTS ARE RESPECTABLE CITIZENS, WITH HUMANITARIAN MOTIVES.

I CAN EXPLAIN THIS, YOUR HONOR! THE ONLY MOTIVE THESE TWO SCHEMERS HAVE IN ADOPTING THE CHILD, IS TO GET HOLD OF JOHN BAXTER'S MILLIONS. THIS WOMAN AND I WERE THE ONLY PERSONS PRESENT WHEN BAXTER MADE HIS WILL!

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## BY BLOSSER

## BY SMALL

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FRANKLIN GROVE

By GRACE PEARL  
Franklin Grove—Rev. and Mrs. C. P. Blekking and family, Mrs. Rebecca Colwell and daughter, Miss Blanche, Mr. and Mrs. John Huyett, Jr., and son Tom, Joe Gilbert and sisters Misses Lucy and Eunice, were dinner guests Sunday at the home of John Huyett and Miss Belle Spratt.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Miller are staying at the home of their son George, north of town. George is suffering from an infection caused by a cut on his hand.  
Mr. and Mrs. Will Crawford, Mrs. A. W. Crawford, Mr. and Mrs. Will Black and family, and J. C. Weigle were dinner guests Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pyle near West Brooklyn.  
Mrs. Truman Nail of West Chicago is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Wilson, south of town.  
Henry Hicks attended the Northern Illinois Funeral Directors and Embalmers' Association meeting on Thursday, held at the Nachusa Tavern in Dixon, with a lovely luncheon at noon. After which a business discussion followed.  
Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wendell entertained with 500 Friday night at their country home east of town. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wendell, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wagner, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Belster, Mr. and Mrs. George King, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schmucker, Mr. and Mrs. Fred A. Bittendorf and daughter, Betty, Mr. and Mrs. Wagner won the prize for the high score, Mrs. Howard Miller and Harold Belster received the consolation prizes.  
Mrs. Wesley Krug of Ashton was taken to the Dixon hospital Wednesday, where she submitted to an operation for appendicitis. Mrs. Krug is the daughter of Mrs. Mary Miller and will be remembered as Bertha Miller. All of her local friends are hoping for a speedy recovery.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Kesselring, Mrs. Charles Herick of Dixon and Mrs. C. E. Kesselring of this place spent Tuesday in Chicago, while there they visited at the home of Lyle Ream and called at the H. G. Royer home.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Tompkins have moved to the residence they purchased from George Hawbecker in the east part of town.  
John Herrera and Mrs. Fred A. Schrader called on Mrs. Herrera at the Dixon hospital Sunday afternoon and found her improving, very nicely from her recent operation.  
William Naylor entertained with a duck dinner Sunday, his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Naylor.  
Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Miller had as their dinner guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cline, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Pisel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jay Miller and family, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Wolf and daughter.  
Mr. and Mrs. Richard Smith and family from Mendota were Sunday guests at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Smith.  
Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Lott were Sunday visitors at the home of his uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Eicholtz in Dixon.  
Mr. and Mrs. Sanford of Chatsworth are visiting at the home of her mother, Mrs. Elizabeth Durkes.  
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ives and daughter Arlene spent Sunday in Lombard at the home of his sister, Mrs. Fred Jewett and family.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bittendorf and daughter were Compton visitors Saturday.  
Rev. C. D. Wilson was a dinner guest Tuesday at the home of Wm. Naylor and Mrs. Sadie Blaine.  
Mr. Purvis who has been at the home of his daughter Mrs. Ray A. Geeting since July with a broken leg, was taken to his home in Chicago, Saturday.  
Mrs. Annis Roe of Chicago is visiting at the homes of her daughters, Mrs. George L. Spangler and Mrs. W. L. Moore.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Miller and his mother, Mrs. Will Meyers of Dixon were Sunday dinner guests at the home of the latter's mother, Mrs. Fred Schrader.  
Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bittendorf and daughter Betty were Sunday evening supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Wagner.  
Mr. and Mrs. Untz of West Brooklyn were guests Friday afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Yocum.  
Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cruise and family, spent Sunday in Compton with the family of Mr. and Mrs. George Walters.  
Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Yocum and family motored to DeKalb on Sunday afternoon to visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Unwin.  
Attorney and Mrs. Byron Eastwood and daughter Miss Ruth, Mrs. Alice Chase, Mrs. Julia Eastwood and Miss Norstrum of Rockford, Mr. and Mrs. John Crawford and son Raymond of Nachusa were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Anderson. The occasion was the birthday anniversary of Mrs. Anderson, who has a host of friends in this community who wish her many more happy birthdays, with health and happiness added.  
Mrs. Ed Underwood, who has been suffering for several weeks with sciatica, rheumatism entered the DeGeneram hospital at Ottawa where she will receive treatment hoping to obtain relief. She will be very glad to hear from any of her friends. Address the hospital.  
Mr. and Mrs. Guy Willard motored to Rock Falls Monday.  
Rex L. V. Stier of Antioch was here Monday and joined the Woodman Lodge on their trip to Rock Island.  
Through the untiring efforts of Mayor Guy Wasson, Franklin Grove was granted the request from the CWA for work. It is expected that sixteen men will be given jobs, trimming trees, removing stumps, raising sidewalks and back sloping rade in this village. The project provides for 5,000 man hours of unskilled labor and the estimated cost will be \$3,060.50.  
Camp 45 Honored  
The drill team and officers of

Champions All! They Win 4-H Honors



Rewards for their achievements in the last year were given to 4-H Club champions assembled in Chicago for their national congress. At left, above, are Marcus Tetter, Jr. of Granada, Minn., and Lillian Murphy, Bremen, Ind., national achievement champions, winners of President Roosevelt's silver trophies. At right, above, is Elena Shoup, 20, of Bartlesville, Okla., canning queen, who canned 6112 pints of vegetables, fruits and meats in nine years. Below are Doris E. Clark, Goodman, Wis., national leadership champion; Hulda Stettler, Fountain City, Wis., home economics champion; Hugo Graumann, Granite, Okla., boys' leadership champion; and Warner Churchill, Cuba, Ill., corn "prince."

Camp M. W. A. went to Rock Island, Monday evening to put on the ritualistic work for the camp of that city. The invitation was extended to Camp 45 by the Rock Island camp some time ago, and the drill team have been doing plenty of practicing for the work, which they put on so splendidly that they are known far and wide, and receive many calls from other camps. It is a great honor to for the local Camp to be invited to such a large city and to such a large Camp. A special bus was chartered to transport the thirty or more members to Rock Island, a most hearty good time was enjoyed by all. National Secretary Ray of the Woodman was present and a group of over 50 candidates were introduced to M. W. A. organiza-

tion. The local Camp and drill team are justly proud of this honor which has been given them.  
97th Anniversary  
The Methodist church has been celebrating the 97th anniversary this week beginning Sunday morning, Rev. L. L. Hammit, the District Superintendent preached to a large audience and in the evening Dr. Oneal of Oregon, a former pastor delivered one of his popular sermons, to a very appreciative audience. The choir of twenty voices under the direction of Mrs. W. L. Moore rendered several selections, a bass solo sung by Donald Oeller was especially good. Thursday night will be Fellowship night with a picnic supper at 6:30, followed by a program. It is expected that a number of former pastors

will be present, and those unable to do so have written letters which will be read during the program. Everybody is invited to be present. In 1902 the present church was built with Rev. I. E. Honeywell, as pastor, A. F. Dierdorff, Kincaid Runyan, Wm. Crawford, S. A. Durkes, and Earl Church of the building committee. Next Sunday evening the Civic Music Club will furnish the program for the evening. Plans are being made to have a former pastor here for the morning service.  
Elected Officers  
The Young People's Society of the Presbyterian church held their meeting Sunday night. Harold Buck was the leader. After the services election of officers was

held and the following were elected:  
President—Harold Buck  
Vice President—Miss Ruth Cupp  
Secretary—Miss George Peterman  
Cor.—Miss Eunice Miller  
Rec.—Miss Murel Kness  
Social committee, chairman — Miss Blanche Colwell  
Pianist—Miss June Hatch  
It was decided to go around town Wednesday evening, December 20 and sing Christmas Carols to the "Shut-Ins". Report all shut-ins to Misses George Peterman and June Hatch and they will report to the Carol singers, who will be very glad to sing for any one who may wish them to do so.  
Aid Society Meeting  
The Brethren Aid Society met at the church December 7th for its annual mite box opening. About sixty gathered at noon for the picnic dinner with a program following:  
Hymn—I Gave My Life For Thee  
Scripture reading, 2 Corinthians 9:1-7—Mrs. Mamie Wingert  
Poem—Mrs. Nellie Fisel  
Duet—Mrs. Mary Wolf, Mrs. Linnie Buck  
Poem—Mrs. Sarah Hood  
Reading, "The Two Boxes", 1st box, Mrs. Elsie Willard; 2nd box, Mrs. Jennie Beachley  
Reading, "The School Girl's Mite"—Mrs. Ruth Hussey  
Reading, "The Thanksgiving offering box opened at the Master's Feet"—Mrs. Anna S. Buck  
Poem—Mrs. Ada Blank  
Special music—Mrs. Ruth Hussey, Mrs. Bessie Blocher, Linnie Buck, Mrs. Mary Wolf  
Reading—Some things that Christian Missions have accomplished  
Story—A Mite Box with Wooden Legs—DeLois Reynolds  
Reading—The Thanksoffering Gift—Mrs. Bernice Group  
Reading—Pray as You Give—Mrs. Margaret Hicks  
Mrs. Bessie Blocher closed with prayer following several sentence prayers.  
Enrollment—17.  
Average attendance.  
The Aid Society held fifty all day meetings.  
Quilted eleven quilts for which received \$137.71.  
Gave clothing to those in need valued at \$192.28.

Gave food to the needy valued at \$29.37.  
Gave to Home and Foreign Mission work in general, leaving a balance on hand in the treasury of \$33.50. The mite-box opening added to the balance, \$29.18.  
Mrs. Henry Hicks is the Aid treasurer.  
Library Notes  
The Library Association met Wednesday evening and elected the following officers for the ensuing year:  
President—Mrs. Medrie Hussey  
Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Ada Peterman  
Secretary—Mrs. W. L. Moore  
Treasurer—Mrs. A. J. Stewart  
The committees will be appointed later by the president. Despite the depression the Library has done very well the past year. It is one of the very best institutions in our town. The church, school and library go hand in hand. When you help the library you are doing a real good act of kindness. During these days of worry and anxiety, a book may be the means of diverting the mind of some poor sufferer. It cost but fifty cents a year to join, which entitles you to two books a week. The very best reading for the least money. When you are wondering what to give for a Christmas present remember a membership cost only fifty cents, and you will be remembered twice a week for a year for your lovely helpful gift.  
Take Notice  
To the rural school teachers and the committees having the Christmas programs in charge, if possible try and have your copy here by December 18, that they may appear in the issue of December 20, otherwise they will not be published in time to get on the rural routes, until after Christmas. We feel sure that you will all want the programs published and in plenty of time.  
Church Night Supper  
The members of the Methodist church and their friends will enjoy a picnic supper Thursday evening in the basement. Everybody is invited to come, bring sandwiches and dish to pass. A program is planned. Sunday evening the Civic Music club will give a program in the church to which everybody is invited. An offering will be taken.  
Telephone No 5 if you have any news items—social or otherwise.

Plant and Animal Life  
Plants can obtain their living substance out of inorganic matter alone, but animals cannot do this. For the life of animals it is necessary that other organisms live or have lived in order to transform inorganic matter into substances which animals are equipped to assimilate as food.  
NURSES  
Will find Record Sheets at the B. F. Shaw Printing Co. 11

Largest African Fish  
The largest fish in the African rivers is the gigantic Nile perch, which is not a perch at all but a representative of the family of ocean basses, perhaps impounded in fresh water millions of years ago. In any event this gigantic fish has been known to reach 200 pounds in weight. It is hard-mouthed, tremendously strong and active, and delicious eating. Big as it is it leaps like a catapult and breathes the strongest rapids.

WARD'S

STORE OPEN 'TILL 9 P. M. TONIGHT.

Special For Wednesday Night 7 to 9 p. m. ONLY

WOMEN'S Flannelette, were \$1 and \$1.29, Clearance	49c
WOMEN'S SILK BRASSIERES—Were 50c, Clearance	10c
CHILDREN'S HOSE—Derby Ribbed, Were 19c, now for	12c
WOMEN'S ALL SILK SLIPS—Slightly Soiled, were \$1.19, now	89c
WOMEN'S RAYON UNDIES—Were 33c, now	15c
WOMEN'S GOWNS—Nainsook, Hand Embroidered, were 39c	19c
WOMEN'S FULL FASHIONED SILK HOSE—Were 89c, 7 to 9, only	48c
CHILDREN'S BUNNY SLIPPERS—Special	49c
WOMEN'S FELT SLIPPERS—Now	35c
MEN'S DRESS OXFORDS—Welt Sole, now	\$1.98

Toy Bargain Table

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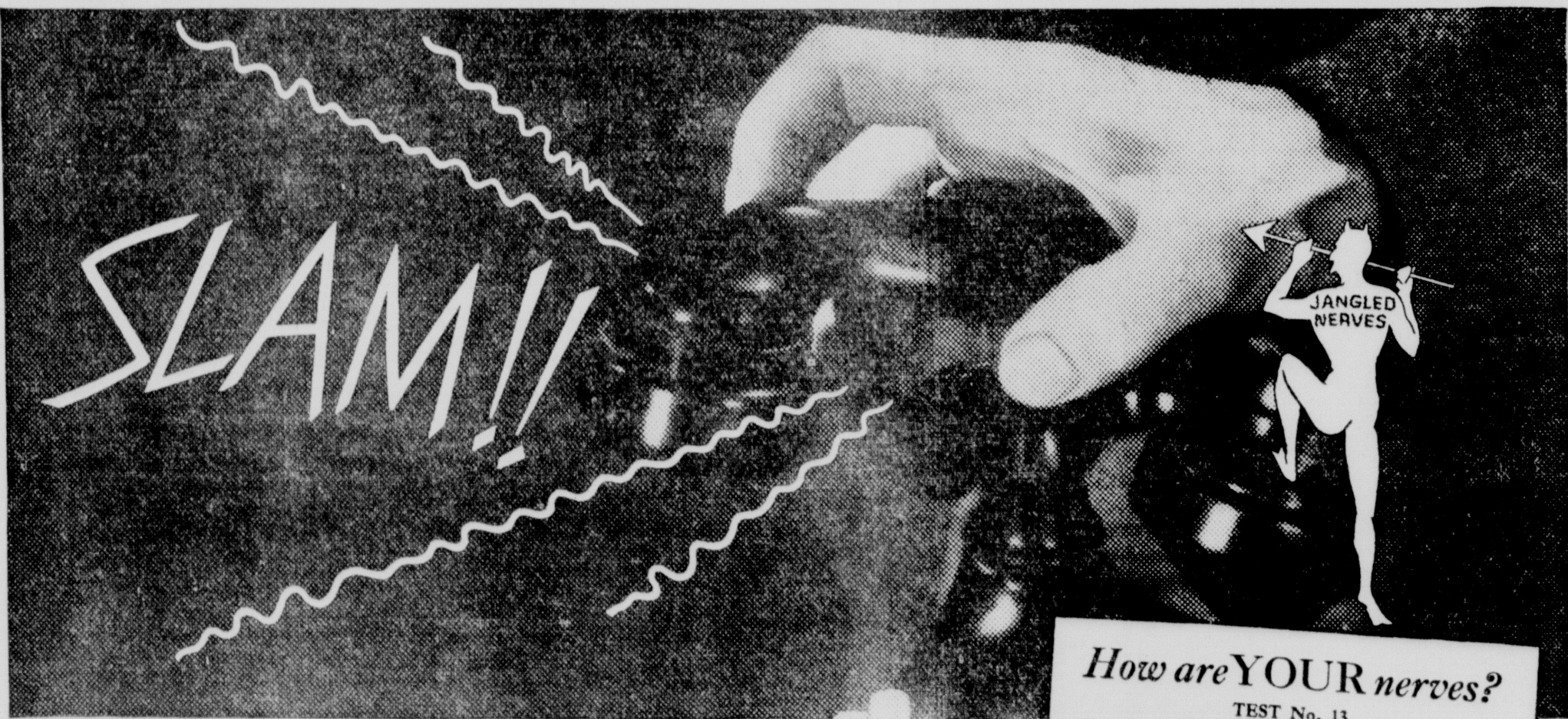
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50c JUNIOR TINKER TOY—Now	39c
98c ELECTRIC STOVE—Now	49c
75c WALL BLACK BOARDS—Now	49c
88c JIG SAWS—Now	44c
\$1.19 LINCOLN HIGHWAY GAS STATION—Now	88c
BED SPREADS—Cotton, 81 x 105, were 75c, now	48c
BLANKETS—5% Wool, 70 x 80, were \$1.49, now	\$1.19
LINEN LUNCHEON SETS—54 x 70, were \$1.19, now	79c
BOYS' SUEDE JACKETS—Were \$1.29, now	88c
MEN'S WOOL JACKETS—Were up to \$3.98, now	\$1.98
BOYS' WOOL JACKETS—Were \$3.49, now	\$1.98
CHILDREN'S BATH ROBES—Were \$1.98, now	\$1.39
MIDGET RADIO—5 Tubes, Special	\$15.95
\$1.00 BEDROOM LAMPS—Pottery Base, Special	50c
\$1.00 WALNUT FINISH END TABLES—Special	69c
\$1.15 CHENELLE RUGS—24 x 48	89c
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\$3.45 TRAIL BLAZER AUTO TIRES—30 x 3 1/2 Oversize	\$2.85
\$1.65 ROLLER SKATES—Ankle Pads	\$1.29

MONTGOMERY WARD

DIXON



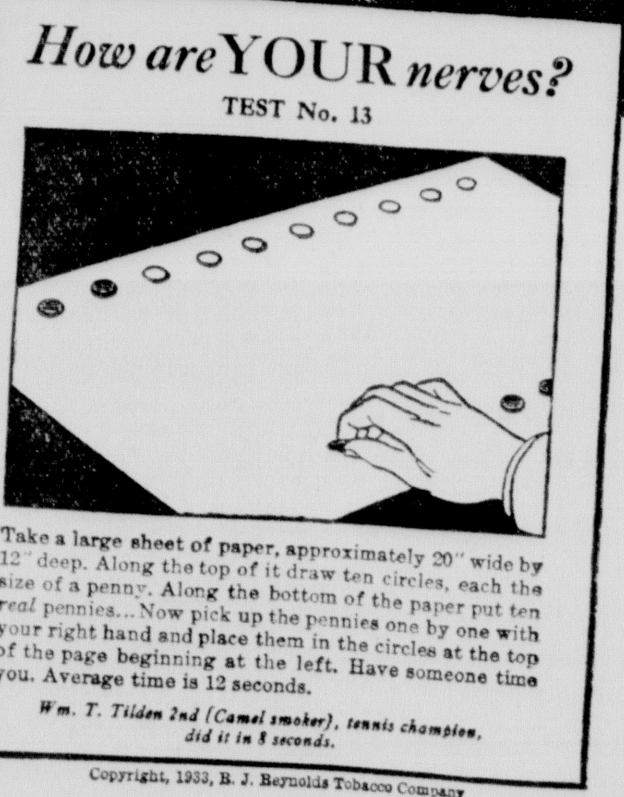
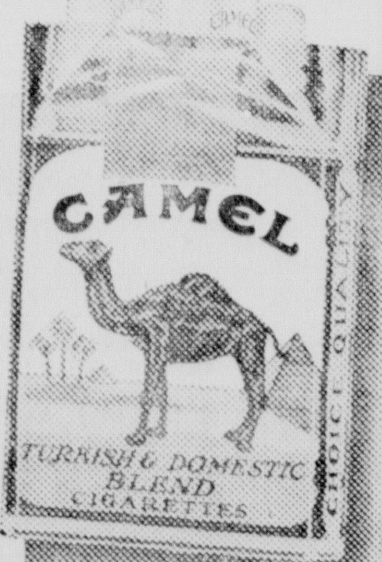
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